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## 100 YEARS A COUNTY.

### Tuesday Old Centre Completed Its First Century.

### SOME EVENTS IN ITS HISTORY.

**Seven of Its Residents Who Became Governors—First Criminal Court Had to Deal With a Constable Who Detained a Grand Jury in Jail.**

### THE OLDEST HOUSE IN TOWN.

One hundred years ago Tuesday witnessed the establishment of Centre County, and with pride our people can look back over the lapse of years and congratulate themselves on the great progress made along all lines of trade and industry since its foundation.

Steps were taken toward having this event properly celebrated but it seems to have fallen through all-though there is some talk of having a centennial celebration later.

The trustees named in the act creating Centre County were William Swansey, Robert Boggs and Andrew Gregg, to whom on July 31, 1800, a conveyance for one-half the tract of land on which the town of Bellefonte was laid out was made by James Dunlop and James Harris.

The first court held in Bellefonte was the Quarter Sessions of November, 1800, before Associate Judges James Potter and John Barber. It was at this session that William Connelly, one of the first constables was brought before the Court for contempt on account of having locked up the grand jury, in the county prison and detained them for a long time.

A census was taken in 1820 which showed 2820 taxable inhabitants and 1 slave in Centre County. The total population was 13.716. The large iron ore beds were soon discovered in this district and large furnaces were erected by the early settlers, among whom were Messrs Stewart and Lyon at Pennsylvania Furnace and Messrs Valentine and Thomas near Bellefonte, until in 1826 there was 16 blast furnaces in the county.

Among other public spirited men of that time were Roland Curtin, Judge Burnsides, General Benner and Messrs. Miles and Green. All intercourse in the county's early days was by stage coach over the Seven Mountains to Lewistown and the Bald Eagle Canal. The first railroad in the county was the Bellefonte and Snow Shoe, constructed in March, 1859. Judge Daniel Rhoads, of this place, was Superintendent of the road up to the time of the lease of the Bald Eagle Valley Railroad, in 1881. From this time up to the present the town has developed in many branches of industries. During the last panic a number of the larger manufactories were forced to close down, but all have resumed operation with the exception of the nail works, which is under the control of the trust.

This town and county boasts of having sent out five Governors of Pennsylvania—Andrew G. Curtin, William Bigler, William F. Packer, James A. Beaver and Daniel H. Hastings. Besides these, Governor John Bigler, of California; and Governor Walker, of Kansas all received their early education in this place and were residents here.

The Biglers at one time lived in Bellefonte having occupied the house on Howard street now occupied by Andy Bell. Gov. Packer was born and raised in Howard.

A feature of which the town and county is quite proud is the beautiful Spring for which our town is named. This spring discharges 14.600 gallons of water a minute and has supplied the town ever since 1807.

The Bellefonte Academy is one of the oldest institutions in the county and has sent forth some of the best educated men in the state.

Bellefonte and Centre County can also boast of some very old buildings. Among the number are the Friends' Meeting House on Pine street; the Lieb property corner of Spring and Bishop, the Jacob Valentine residence, which was the county's first court house; the rear of the present residence of Henry Harris on Howard street, and the Curtin house corner of Howard and Allegheny streets.

The Curtin homestead at Roland is also one of the county's old land marks.

**The National Guard.**

At the next quarterly examination of noncommissioned officers those making an average of ninety per cent will be passed with honor and will be exempt from all future examinations except for promotion. Those makig an average of sixty-five per cent will be re-examined in June. The guard has heretofore been a subject of pride and it is the intention to raise the standard still higher.

**Pray for My Girl.**

Pray for my girl; she is dearer to me
Than houses of gold or silver can be;
And the world is so hard, unfeeling and cold,
And in daring undoing the wicked are bold;
And God has made fair and lovely my pearl;
So pray for my daughter—oh, pray for may girl.

Pray for my daughter that she may be saved
From the influence dire of the dark and depraved,
That she may walk in the pathway of light
Nor wander away in the regions of night;
That she may not drift where the black waters whirl;
Oh, pray for my daughter—pray for my girl.

O Father on high, let The guidance be given
On the highway of earth to the mansion in heaven;
Let the angel of glory that come from above
Watch over and cherish the children we love;
Hear the prayer that the parents present for their pearl
And answer their heart-peal—watch over their girl.

**GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.**

**Verdict in the Harmon Murder Case.**

The Harmon murder case came to a close in the Clearfield court Friday evening, by the jury bringing in a verdict finding the defendant guilty of manslaughter.

Yesterday's session was taken up by the closing arguments of both sides before the jury. Mr. Arnold opened for the commonwealth immediately upon the reconvening of court in the morning, and was followed in turn by Attorneys Jenks and Smith for the defense. Mr. Krebs closed the prosecution. Each of the arguments was an able effort and gave evidence of careful preparation.

In delivering his charge, which consisted of an exhausted and impartial review of the evidence adduced, Judge Crawford instructed the jurors that they must find either a verdict of manslaughter or acquit the defendant, as a verdict of murder in the first degree could not, in view of the testimony, be returned.

Harmon, it will be remembered, threw a weight at Ezekiel Hewitt in his store at Penfield last summer.

**Attorney Peoples Sues Congressman Olmstead to Recover Fees.**

During the consideration of the Niles revenue bill in the legislature a few years ago, Congressman Marlin E. Olmstead, of Harrisburg, prominent as counsel for many of the large corporations opposed to the proposed tax measure, wanted some information regarding the value of Leonard H. Rhone's farm in Centre county, as the worthy master of the State Grange of the Patrons of Husbandry, Rhone was doing his level best in support of the bill. As the outcome of the search for information, William R. Peoples, a Jersey Shore lawyer, has entered suit in Dauphin county court against Congressman Olmstead to recover $500 for professional services in ascertaining the facts regarding the assessment and valuation of Rhone's property.

A. Carson Stamm, the law partner of Mr. Olmstead, said recently: "Peoples was not employed by Mr. Olmstead personally, but by the Beech Creek Railroad Company, for which Mr. Olmstead was at that time president and general counsel. Peoples, or rather the firm of Bricker & Peoples, was local attorney for the company at Jersey Shore. Peoples performed the service for which he claims compensation in his suit in his capacity as local counsel under the immediate direction of A. G. Palmer, superintendent of the Beech Creek railroad company at Jersey Shore. His bill, presumably including his service, was subsequently rendered to the company and paid."

**A Card to the Voters.**

Edward T. Tuten, Republican candidate for Justice of the Peace for the South and West wards of the Borough of Bellefonte, has issued the following card to the voters in his district. He is an old citizen of the town, a man well qualified for the position, and his appeal should, as we feel confident it will, meet with a cordial and hearty affirmative response from the electors on next Tuesday:

BELLEFONTE, Feb. 8th, 1900.

DEAR SIR:

At the earnest request of many citizens, who have insisted upon my being a candidate on the local ticket, and have placed me in nomination for Justice of the Peace of the South and West wards of Bellefonte, I have consented to same, and if elected will perform the duties of the trust with fidelity. Of my fitness for the position the electors must be the judge. I have lived in this town continuously for the past twenty-seven years and cannot surely be unknown to most of our citizens. I shall be much pleased if you conclude you can give me your support, your influence and your vote.

Very respectfully,
EDWARD T. TUTEN.

## AN AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

### Strong Movement On Foot To Establish Such a Project Here.

### PROMINENT CITIZENS INTERESTED.

**The Jacob Valentine Farm South of Town the Most Available Site—It is Level With Good Railroad Facilities—A Large Amount of Stock Already Subscribed.**

### THE MOVEMENT A WORTHY ONE.

The several years past some of the leading citizens of Bellefonte and Centre County have interested themselves in pushing a movement to established an Agricultural Fair Association here, but there efforts met with little encouragement until this winter when the prospects have become very bright for the ultimate success of the enterprise.

The object in view is to purchase suitable grounds, build a race track, put up adequate buildings, have a base ball and foot ball field and in fact make a regular athletic park where all kinds of out door sports can be carried on.

The gentlemen who are working the matter up have looked carefully at quite a number of locations said to be suitable for a fair ground, but objections were found to all but one. It was found difficult to find a place with suitable railroad facilities that combined all the requirements as to area and other natural advantages.

One of these locations, however, is believed to possess all the different requirements. It is the Jacob Valentine farm, south of town. It is plenty large enough, is located within a mile and a half of the Court House, is level and besides has the necessary railroad facilities. The Nittany valley railroad passes through it connecting it with the Pennsylvania railroad and the Central Railroad of Pennsylvania. The committee are said to be negotiating for this ground with every prospect of success.

As we stated before the prospects for the association being organized are very bright. Already a large amount of stock has been subscribed and no trouble is anticipated in raising all the money necessary.

The advantages to be gained by having the fair in Bellefonte are many. The fair which would be held once a year, and would probably last three or four days, would be the means of bringing thousan dofpeople to town, whose presence would mean dollars to our merchants and business men. Then again the track for exercising horses and the athletic field where our young men can hold their different sports are features of great value. By all means let this movement be pushed to a successful finish and we will have a fair ground that the whole county can take an interest in an be proud of

**COURT HOUSE NEWS.**

**Items of Interest Gathered in the Registers and Recorders Office.**

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

The following marriage licenses have been issued during the past week by Register A. G. Archey.

John Tipton of Howard and Myrtle Johnston of Mt. Eagle.

John D. Dreibelbis, of State College, and Laura Teresta Keichline of Rock Springs.

Edward Marshall and Bessie Norris both of South Philipsburg.

George A. Kreighbaum and Anna R. Hoover both of Aaronsburg.

Joseph W. Gross of Alton, Iowa, and Eva Grace Archey of Graysville, Pa.

George H. Young of Scotia, Pa., and Lulu B. Wolf, of Stormstown.

Charles E. McClellan, of Tusseyville, and Cora B. Maize of Millheim.

John Thomas Howard and Anna Lerue Freeman both of Philipsburg.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. Benjamin Gentzeliet ux to Alfred M. Rishell. Dated February 10, 1900. Two tracts of land in Spring twp. Consideration $8400.00.

Oscar E. Miles et ux to Carrie S. McKinley. Feb. 2, 1900. For lot in Milesburg, Pa. Consideration $500.00.

Matthew Strayer to Nancy J. Miller. Dated January 12, 1900. Seven acres land Miles twp. Consideration $800.00.

Alice Beezer Ex. to W. Fred Reynolds. Dated February 1, 1900. 330 acres land in Benner twp. Consideration $6,000.00.

Ira. V. Gates et ux to Laura J. Ryder. Dated December. 28, 1899. For 2 lots of land in Galesburg, Pa. Consideration $575.00

## ANTI-TRUST CONFERENCE

**Favors the Seizure and Government Ownership of Railroads.**

Chicago, Feb. 14.—After a heated debate the resolutions committee of the anti-trust conference last night decided to report in favor of government ownership of railroads and for their seizure on payment of actual value and without payment for "watered stock or other fictitious values." The committee also unanimously favored direct popular legislation as a means of obtaining the result.

The platform further declares for government ownership of all public utilities and natural monopolies, government money, the referendum and direct legislation, and the withdrawal of all protective tariffs from all articles controlled by a trust.

President Lockwood, of the Anti-Trust league, said last night: "This is a remarkable gathering in many respects. Every delegate paid his own railroad fare here, and the speakers are all volunteers. The league has not spent a dollar in promoting the movement. The delegates traveled many miles for a purely unselfish motive. This is not like a political convention, as we have no promises to make or offices to give. We are here to fight for a principle. I firmly believe that this gathering is the beginning of a movement which will wipe every malevolent trust from the country within a few years."

**Circuit Judge Swayze.**

Trenton, Feb. 14.—Governor Voorhees sent to the senate yesterday afternoon the name of Francis J. Swayze, of Newark, as circuit court judge to succeed Judge Francis Child. Mr. Swayze is a Republican, while Judge Child, whom he succeeds, is a Democrat. The house passed Assemblyman Marks' bill to make legitimate children born before the marriage to each other of their parents.

## SUSAN B. ANTHONY'S SUCCESSOR.

**Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt Heads the Woman Suffrage Association.**

Washington, Feb. 14.—The National American Woman's Suffrage association yesterday elected Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, of New York, president of the association for the ensuing year, to succeed Susan B. Anthony, who has been active in the battle for woman

MRS. CARRIE CHAPMAN CATT.

suffrage for nearly half a century and declined a re-election to office. Mrs. Blake, who had been urged by many of her friends to become a candidate for the office, withdrew her name before any nominations were made. With the exception of the president, all of the old officers were re-elected.

The retirement of Miss Anthony caused genuine and heartfelt regret among the members of the association, and when the announcement of the vote naming her successor was made, many of them wept.

**Finance Debate Nearly Over.**

Washington, Feb. 14.—The financial debate in the senate reached its climax yesterday. Two great speeches, one in favor of the pending senate substitute measure and the other in opposition to it, were delivered, and both were listened to by senators with close attention. The first was delivered by Mr. Allison (Ia.), the ranking member of the finance committee. Mr. Jones (Nev.) declared that the bill was vicious and unwarranted, conferring too great power upon national banks and fastening the country to a gold currency. Today the senate began the consideration of the bill and amendments under the ten minute rule.

**NUGGETS OF NEWS.**

The Cartersville strike rioters are on trial at Vienna, Ills.

Eng Sing, keeper of a Philadelphia opium joint, was sent to jail for a year and fined $500.

The return of Prince Henry to Berlin yesterday was made the occasion for a great popular demonstration.

Washout caused a wreck on the Massachusetts Central road near Oakdale. Five trainmen seriously injured.

Ed Sims, a negro, who snatched a white woman's pocketbook, was sentenced in Kansas City to 40 years in jail.

Mrs. Roberts, aged 76, her 53-year-old son and 51-year-old daughter were found murdered at their home near Jacksonville, Fla.

A Chicago board of trade committee appeals to J. Pierpont Morgan to use his influence to prevent violations of the interstate commerce law by railroads.

## THE SPRING ELECTION

### Great Interest Is Manifested This year in Local Politics.

### A HOT FIGHT FOR CHIEF BURGESS

**G. W. Rees Making a Gallant Fight for Tax Collector—R. S. Brouse is a Sure Winner for Overseer of the Poor—E. T. Tuten for Justice of the Peace in the South and West Wards Has Bright Prospects for Success.**

### A GENERAL SUMMING UP OF SITUATION

In this our last issue before the election we desire to call the attention of the voters to the Republican ticket for the borough of Bellefonte, which we feel is an exceptionally good one, well worthy the support of all good Republicans. Our borough is republican that no one will dispute, now when the party places in the field a ticket, worthy of support should we not give it our hearty approval. For Burgess we have Edmund Blanchard; for Tax Collector, Geo. W. Rees; Overseer of Poor R. S. Brouse; Treasurer, Charles F. Cook; Auditor J. Thomas Mitchell.

A careful canvass among the knowing ones results in evidence of a decided weight of opinion favoring the chances of Edmund Blanchard, the Republican candidate in the Chief Burgess contest. The manly spirit in which Mr. Blanchard has conducted his campaign has had the effect naturally to be expected from such a course. He allows none of the bitterness frequently exhibited in political contests, nor the ridiculous stories circulated about him concerning his administration of the office of Chief Burgess if elected, to disturb him in the least. His straightforward manner and his energy and hustle must redound to his credit and should land him a winner by a good safe majority.

The sentiment in favor of the election of R. S. Brouse as Overseer of the Poor is by no means confined to one party, voters of each party are signifying their intention of giving Mr. Brouse their hearty support if for no other reason than an expression of their belief in his ability and qualifications for this important trust. Mr. Brouse has always been a staunch and conscientious Republican, tireless in his labors for the party and candidates at all times, regardless of factional difference. Bellefonte has at present Democratic Overseers of the Poor. Without saying anything derogatory of their service we do maintain that it is poor politics to continue the present condition of things in a Republican borough by the re-election of the Democratic nominee. Mr. Brouse is the representative of the dominant political party of the borough and in justice to him as its candidate and the party he stands for he should receive the unanimous support of the Republicans of Bellefonte.

The one Republican candidate for borough office who has perhaps the hardest row to hoe is G. W. Rees who is making the fight for Tax Collector. The difficulties he encounters and the obstacles he must overcome to win out are not due to his lack of ability, nor to his personal character. Mr. Rees is unquestionably well endowed with those qualities required to make a capable and efficient Tax Collector. His high standing in the community, his honest, upright and conscientious deportment stamps him as a man of high character. Mr. Rees's Democratic competitor, Capt. H. S. Taylor, is without doubt the strongest candidate on the Democratic local ticket. He has served six years as Tax Collector and his splendid service has won for him the confidence, good-will and respect of the entire community. He enters into the contest with a fine record and a strong following among the people in general independent of political affiliations. Mr. Rees appreciates the strength of his opponent and knows his success depends entirely upon the loyal support of the members of his own party. It will be remembered that during the campaign last fall the Democrats opposed the election of James B. Strohm for Register solely on the ground that he had had a good share of public service and it would only be right and proper to give some one else a chance. No question was raised as to his character or fitness. The same condition of things exists today only the shoe is on the other foot. Captain Taylor has enjoyed six years in the Tax Collector's office. Should not the people give some one else a chance? Captain Taylor has made an admirable officer, Mr. Rees would make the same; Captain Taylor is a gentleman of high character and exceptional ability, Mr. Rees can claim the same distinction; Captain Taylor is a Democrat, Mr. Rees is a Republican, therein the only difference exists. Bellefonte is a Republican borough and should have a Republican Tax Collector. Mr. Rees has a right to expect the total Republican vote of the borough. He should have it. He is worthy. He is competent. He is a Republican, therefore Republicans do your duty.

It is unnecessary to dwell at length upon the contests for Borough Treasurer and Auditor. Charles F. Cook, the Republican candidate for Treasurer, and J. Thomas Mitchell, the Republican candidate for Auditor, have served the people in their respective offices and with such fidelity and efficiency that their re election is practically assured. The Democrats are not opposing their election.

One of the most important offices to be filled at the coming election is that of Justice of the Peace for the South and West wards, important because the result of the contest between John M. Keichline, the Democratic candidate for re-election, and Edward T. Tuten, the Republican aspirant for aldermanic honors, will mean much to the taxpayers. The assertion is made that Keichline has been farming the office of Justice of the Peace ever since he received his first commission and it is claimed that an inspection of the records in the office of the County Commissioners will substantiate the charge. It is in the power of the Justice to save the county many dollars by keeping from the courts petty cases that could be settled without trouble and expense in the Justice's court. Of course, an administration of the duties of this office purely in the interests of the people—the taxpayers—and without regard for personal profit and gain, would reduce considerably the emoluments of the office, yet it should be the duty of a Justice of the Peace to exercise the functions of his position *only* in the interests of the taxpayers and save costs to the county whenever and wherever possible. This is not, if all reports be true, Mr. Keichline's conception of the obligations of his official trust. Mr. Tuten entertains a different idea and a right one. If the citizens of the South and West wards desire a Justice of the Peace who would be faithful and zealous in protecting their interests and guarding their rights and at the same time an official competent and admirably fitted in every respect for the office they will vote to a man for Edward T. Tuten, the people's candidate.

In the North Ward for Judge of Election, Samuel B. Miller, a hard shell Republican peculiarly fitted for the position to which the Republicans of that ward will elect him, a man who although an earnest partisan will deal fairly and honestly with all. He should as he will, receive the undivided support of the party. Roger T. Bayard for Inspector holds a hand all trumps and can not be defeated. George L. Potter for Council is a man so well known for his devotion to the public interest that it seems like repeating the "Old old story" to attempt to enlarge upon his many qualites of excellence which secured for him this compliment (which he did not seek) from the electors of his Ward no voter (unless a very recent comer) but knows it all as well as we can tell it. We should indeed be surprised if he was defeated notwithstanding the fact, that this opponent who we feel certain did not seek or want the office is a first class citizen. H. H. Harshberger for Justice of the Peace is a lawyer of ability and will make one of the best officals that could have been selected for that position he is a native of the county and has been a resident of the town for many years a prominent member of the M. E. Church his christian character and upright honest way of doing business together with his knowledge of the law peculiarly fits him for a position the duties of which have been so sadly perverted in the years that have past, he would be a worthy successor of Musser, Shaeffer, Linn, Rankin and Gephart his immediate predecessors in the order named. The North Ward has had a worthy line of Justices of the Peace and Mr Harshberger will cast no shade of discredit upon a position that has for long years been so worthily filled. We are confident he will receive united support of all republicans, and the good wishes of all worthy citizens. His election seems from present indications to be assured.

John P. Harris is the North Ward candidate for school Director, of him little need be said, he is so good a man for the place that he has no opposition and of course it is multiplying words to say he will be elected.

The South Ward presents J. S. McCarger for Judge of Election, a man of experience, a good republican, an honest public official in every position of public

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## Additional Locals.

There is peace in old Kentucky
Where the meadow grass is blue
And the colonels won't be shooting
Other colonels through and through.
Walking arsenals that threatened
To precipitate a war
Will now talk of bloodless battles
As they lean against the bar.

—An ounce of prevention is often worth a pound on the piano.

—That invention of a sparking apparatus ought to be hailed with joy by bashful lovers.

—John M. Harnish of Wingate has had his pension increased from $6 to $8 per month.

—When courtship results in a broken heart another application of court plaster is effective.

—Mrs. Lizzie M. Jacobs of Centre Hall, Centre County, has been granted a pension of $8.00 per month.

—The I. O. O. F., of this place will hold their annual banquet on Friday evening, February 23rd 1900, in their spacious rooms on the third floor of Criders block.

—The Euchre Club were entertained Thursday evening by Mrs. H. C. Quigley and Miss Adelaide Merriman at the Marriman home on North Allegheny street.

—Every man has the right, in this country, to believe and say what he pleases, but no man has the right to abuse another for not seeing things as he does.

—Benjamin Gentzel has sold his large farm below town to John Rishel for $8.-400. Mr. Gentzel expects to give all his time in the future to the buy and selling of horses

### Little Braves.

Old time a quarter-a-box "Purgers" are quitting the field in whole battalions. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills at 10 cents a vial are driving them out at all points. Because they act gently, more effectively, never pain, and are easy to take. Sick Headache succumbs to one dose.—74.

For sale by F. Potts Green.

—The residents of East Linn street adjacent to Ridge street complain of the water which comes down the latter thoroughfare and threatens to flood them out. The street commissioner should take notice and remedy this or the boro might have a damage suit on its hands.

### Many School Children are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, Break up Colds in 24 hours, cure Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, and Destroy Worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

### Newspaper Enterprise.

The Philadelphia Evening Bulletin has entered upon a great news enterprise in arranging for special correspondence by cable covering all parts of the world. More than 100 correspondents have been appointed, who will transmit news of special interest to Americans from Europe, Asia, South America, Australia and the Philippines. We know of no such ambitious news service heretofore organized or an evening newspaper.

### A Frightful Blunder

Will often cause a horrible Burn. Scald, Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Corns, all Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25 c. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by F. Potts Green, druggist.

### Hurts the Town.

The Tyrone Herald notes that Judge Bell's court decided strongly against the move of the council of that town to destroy the old company's water plant by putting down a boro plant. The Tyrone paper says this attempt to destroy the plant of private citizens, was bred of jealousy and has caused strife and bad feeling in Tyrone that will last for years. Bad men are said to have been the instigators of the trouble.


**CASTORIA**
For Infants and Children.
**The Kind You Have Always Bought**
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.


### Fire at Hastings.

At about 2 o'clock Thursday morning fire was discovered in the kitchen of Nagle's hotel, in Hastings, and before it was gotten under control had entirely destroyed that building and three adjoining dwellings, entailing a loss of $5.400.

The only way to fight fire in the town is by means of a bucket brigade and one was formed, but it was impossible to save the buildings.

The losses are on the hotel, $3,500, and on the other buildings $450, $650 and $800 respectively. Insurance small.

### Actors, Singers, Talkers.

Are all more or less subject to Bad Throat Hoarseness, Tontilitis and Catarrh. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder never disappoints. "I can but proclaim Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder a wonderful medicine for actors, singers and public speakers. Myself and my wife have tried everything, but have never found anything to equal this great remedy, for quick action it certainly is a wonder worker." Al. Emmett Fostall, New York City.—72.

For sale by F. Potts Green.

### MAY HAVE STRUCK IT RICH.

#### Valuable Mineral Deposits Said to Have Been Discovered Near Town.

Charles F. Schad the plumber is said to have made one of the richest discoveries of mineral deposits, including gold and silver ore, lead and pottery clays, ever unearthed in this state. The location of his discovery is in what is known as Armor's Gap, in the Bald Eagle or Muncy mountains and within two miles of the Court house.

Tradition and history tells of a famous vein of lead ore running through the Allegheny and Muncy mountains which was originally discovered by an early settler named Fisher. Fisher died without fully revealing the secret location of the vein and it has ever since been referred to merely as the "Fisher lead vein." Time and again individuals and companies have prospected for this vein but never with success. About four years ago Schad accidentally made a discovery which gave him an inkling as to the location of the valuable ore and so confident was he that he had found the Fisher vein that he at once quietly proceeded to buy up the mountain land until he had accumulated several hundred acres. Three years and a half were spent in concluding these negotiations and continuing a secret investigation until about six months ago a force of men was put to work and active prospecting operations begun.

Within the past few weeks Mr. Schad has made some startling discoveries in various mineral deposits. At an easily workable depth a vein of lead ore ten feet in width was found. An analysis of the ore was made and some portions of it found to be above 70 per cent. pure. There is little doubt but that it is the famous Fisher vein. Beneath the lead vein was found a deposite of kaolin, the best grade of potter clay, and underneath that a paying vein of both yellow and white oker clay.

During the past few days another vein of mineral has been found, and thought it has not yet been fully analyzed there are good indications of both gold and and silver deposits in paying quantities.

### Stood Death Off.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer, of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters, and he was soon much better, but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life." This remedy expels malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c. at F. Potts Green's drug store.

### Highly Endorsed.

A Harrisburg special to the Philadelphia Press says: The term of Major Kress, of Lock Haven, as supreme court reporter will expire on March 21, and the major is an applicant for re-appointment. He has the endorsement of judges and lawyers from all over the state, but is unfortunate in having been appointed by former Governor Hastings. Governor Stone lets no opportunity pass to turn down any of the former governor's appointees where they have been personal friends.

It is said that the place has been offered to W. I. Schaffer, of Delaware.

Major Kress is well known in this place where he has many friends.


**CASTORIA.**
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought


### LOCAL POLITICAL OBSERVATIONS.

It is said that the Bellefonte police are working against at least a part of the Republican ticket.

That they will be candidates for re-appointment before the Council of 1900.

That the Council will probably be Republican.

That there is some opposition to their continuation in office, which may be crystalized into open hostility, if they do not mind their own business.

That antagonism to the ticket that the republicans have placed in the field may not be their interest.

That the republicans have made a good ticket and want it elected.

That if Tuten don't get a move on, Keichline will steal the Justice of the Peace plum.

That John is waking up to the fact, that Tuten will serve if elected, and the court be relieved of much useless litigation.

That there is violent opposition to Keichline among the democrats of his district.

That this hostility is a lively factor in the contest.

That John, though running in a democratic district is seriously alarmed and not without reason.

That Blanchard and Walker are making a lively contest for the honor of serving as Burgess of our city.

That the ordinary citizen wonders what they are at, as the position is only for honor, no profit.

That they had better be careful that in an attempt to win honor, they do nothing dishonorable.

The election of John P. Harris, as school director from the North Ward and Chas. F. Cook as Borough Treasurer is unanimously conceeded. They have a clear field with no rival claimants.

To those who are curious to know the exact population of Bellefonte we would suggest an inquiry address to Messrs Blanchard and Walker rival candidates for local Mayoralty honors. Thesegentlemen are making a political canvass that comprehends every living "critter" within the corporate limits of the borough. They are hustlers and each is making a good, clear, honorable contest for election. The borough is Republican and Blanchard as the Republican candidate should have the best end of the argument.

There seems to be a sentiment prevailing that Bellefonte should have Republican Overseers of the Poor for a change and the new order of things is to be inaugurted with the election of R. S. Brouse to succeed Daniel Eberhart one of the present Democratic incumbents, Mr. Brouse will make a capital official. He has ability that fits him for the position. He has a thorough business training and enjoys an extensive acquaintance in all classes of our borough citizenship. Unless all signs fail Mr. Brouse will get there on Tuesday the 20th inst.

Rumor has it that the North Ward Republicans will cut their usual political capers at the coming spring election. The Republican vote in the North Ward is unfortunately an uncertain element, just the same we are in position to state with full knowledge of the political situation that there is no concerted opposition to any part of the ward or borough ticket in the North Ward, that there may be individual opposition on purely personal grounds cannot perhaps be disputed. This is more o rless in evidence in all political campaigns and is not confined to any one party or locality. It aught not to be so but it is, and its human nature. The North Ward Republican ticket is a good one throughout and should have the unanimous vote of the ward Republicans.

J. S. McCarger, who has served on the election board in the South Ward many times, says: They have a Democratic majority of sixty in that precinct. There is supposed to be a Republican majority of twenty in the West Ward; it would seem, therefore, that Tuten, for Justice of the Peace, would need forty more votes to be elected, if Keichline can hold the Democratic vote. The fact that Keichline run independent against the regularly nominated Democratic candidate at the last election for this office, does not commend him to strict party men. This and other weighty reasons have alienated many from his support, being a deep shade of uncertainty as to the result. In fact, many Democrats confidently and openly assert that Keichline could not be elected over Tuten, if only Democrats were voting. If these reformers can deliver the goods, Tuten will surely win out, and the court relieved of many trifling cases.

S. M. McMutrie is Republican candidate for Supervisor of Spring township, and a better qualified man for the position could not be found. Let Democrats and Republicans throw party politics aside, and vote for the man whose sterling worth and upright Character makes him worthy of your support and recognition on Election Day.

The Republican candidates for Council at the coming election on the 20th inst are North Ward, George L. Potter; South Ward, William T. Steel; West Ward, John L. Knisely. These men are in every way qualified to make wise and efficient local legislators. They are representative men in local affairs. The voters will make no mistake if they elect these men but will be doing themselves a service, and the whole town a benefit. They are men of affairs, capable and efficient. They will take a painstaking interest in all that is for the wellfare of the borough. They will be constant in season and out of season and fearless in the discharge of every duty. Let the voters stand by these men and carry them through to a successful issue.

George W. Rees is the Republican candidate for Tax Collector and no better man could be secured for the position. He has long been a resident of Bellefonte and is well and favorably known to all our people, and it goes without saying that he would make a good and efficient official. While his opponent Capt. Taylor is a very worthy gentlemen, yet, it does seem as if six years was long enough for one man to hold this office, and some one else should be given a chance at the public crib. Let us have a change.

A better selection than George W. Rees, for Tax Collector, could not have been found in the town, in either party. He is a first class candidate, and we can conceive of no possible reason why any Republican or other voter who want offices to be divided among our competent citizens should not give him their support. Why should one man hold office forever? Why should we, by implication, admit that this intelligent community has but one man fit to collect taxes? We await the verdict of the electors, at the coming election.

The candidates for School Directors on the Republican ticket are all first class men, and should receive the cordial support of all voters who desire that the excellence of our schools shall be maintained. They are for the North Ward, John P. Harris; South Ward, James I. McClure; West Ward, W. H. Crissman; all first class material and all thoroughly qualified for the positions to which the wisdom of the electors will call them. Mr. Harris has served his ward for many years and has that complete knowledge of the work which makes his election almost a necessity. He is the only candidate in his ward, which of itself shows the high appreciation which the voters have in the invaluable service he has always rendered in the past. James I. McClure in the South Ward, although running in a Democratic precinct, is a popular candidate, and will without doubt poll a large vote. He has always taken a deep interest in school affairs as he does in all that interests our people; he has been a citizen of the town all his life and we believe of the ward in which he is now a candidate. His election will give the board an efficient and capable member. In the West Ward W. H. Crissman is holding up the banner of Republicanism and will make an official of unparalleled excellence. He did not seek the position but was urged to be a candidate on account of his exceptional fitness for the position. He has a deep interest in the schools and has a large family who are attending them. The voters may be certain he will do all he can to make the Bellefonte schools the best in the county and the State. There is no doubt of his election.


**Be Careful**

No woman can be too careful of her condition during the period before her little ones are born. Neglect or improper treatment then endangers her life and that of the child. It lies with her whether she shall suffer unnecessarily, or whether the ordeal shall be made comparatively easy. She had better do nothing than do something wrong.

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From the Railway Age.

A unique feat of engineering is described by an exchange as having been accomplished in the bridging of a narrow strait connecting Canso harbor and Chedabucto Bay, in Nova Scotia. The place is known as the "Tittle," and the difficult problem presented was the construction of a bridge that would not obstruct navigation nor require the expense of erecting a drawbridge and employing the services of a tender. The manner of getting around the difficulty is thus described:

The bridge is built upon stone ballasted piers, and in the middle of the central span a clear cut of about eighteen inches in width crosses the whole superstructure. The boats that use the "Tittle" are fishing smacks, with pole masts and without shrouds or other side rigging. Consequently they have only to be steered so as to bring their masts in line with the opening in the bridge, when they readily are poled and pushed through. The spreaders at the opening prevent the flapping sails catching and tearing. Traffic is much greater by water than by land. When the infrequent vehicle wishes to pass a hinged board across the width of the bridge is raised up and covers the small chasm. As soon as the wagon has gone over this the driver is expected to throw back the hinged board.

A puny child is always an anxiety to the parents. There seems generally no reason why the little one should be weak when it is so well fed. But the fact is that it does not matter how much food the child takes if the stomach cannot extract the nourishment from it. No benefit can be derived from just eating. That is the condition of many a sickly child. The stomach and organs of digestion an nutrition are not doing their work, and the body is really starving. It is little use to give fish foods, like cod liver oil or emulsions, in such a case, because these also have to be digested: they may lighten the stomach's labor but they don't strengthen it. Strength is what the stomach needs. Dr. Pierces Golden Medical Discovery strengthens the stomach, nourishes the nerves and increases the action of the blood making glands. It is superior to every other preparation for children's use, on account of its body building qualities, and also because it is pleasant to the taste and contains no alcohol, whiskey or other intoxicant. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a valuable aid when the bowels are irregular. They are small. Children take them readily.

### Died at Atlantic City.

Henry Baney, a former well known citizen of this place but who of late has resided with relatives in Atlantic City, died in that place Wednesday evening at the advanced age of ninety one years. Death was directly due to a general breaking down of the system incident to old age. He is survived by several children. The remains were brought to Bellefonte for interment, arriving on the 9:53 train Saturday morning and were taken directly to the Union cemetery where interment was made. The pall-bearers were Messrs Samuel B. Miller, H. B. Pontius, Daniel Eberhart and Isaac Miller.

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### A Successful Operation.

Eva Joyce Gates, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Gates, of East Lamb street, underwent an operation in the University hospital at Philadelphia last Tuesday for infantile paralysis. The little one has been a sufferer for several years and to such an extent that her ankle was drawn out of shape and an operation was found necessary in order to straighten her foot. This was performed at above stated time and proved highly successful. She is resting very nicely and the doctors seem confident of a permanent cure for the little girl.

### Work For Council to Do.

The cellars of a number of houses on the north side of upper East Howard street are flooded with water in some to a depth of four feet extinguishing furnace fires and doing considerable damage. There is a crying need for adequate sewerage advantages in this locality. The borough council should take steps to protect the property of the citizens living in this neighborhood. This condition of things has existed for years and it is high time something is done to guard against future floods.

Some old things are hard to improve on, for instance, the State of Mississippi once had a law requiring a man to give a bond of $200 to properly care for a wife before he could get married.


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### A LETTER FROM THE PHILIPPINES

#### A Bellefonte Boy's Experience in that Far Away Land.

Mr. George Reed of this place has just received a letter from his brother Milton Reed, a private in Co. G, 47th Infantry now doing duty in the Philippines. As every one in Bellefonte is anxious to hear from the 47th regiment we publish the letter as no doubt it will interest our readers.

Paslg City, P. I., Jan 3, 1900.

Dear Brother:

I thought I would write you once more and see if you are living. I have written three letters lately and have not received an answer so I will try once again and see if I can get an answer this time. We arrived at our destination Dec., 21, and I have been enjoying splendid health. The weather has been lovely also and we had a fine time all the way over. They now have a rumor around here that we are going to move forward tomorrow, and take another city a few miles farther out by the name of Titi. Our Major with one hundred and six men took a little village yesterday and captured fifteen ponies all saddled and ready for use and about a week ago our out post captured one thousand cocoanuts and two insurgents. They had a raft made with grass over top of the cocoanuts and they tried to sneak them past our sentries at night by leaving them float slowly down the middle of the stream. They wanted to catch them below and either sell them or take them to their army, but our sentry saw them and fired a few shots and they came ashore. They let the men go next morning but kept the cocoanuts and they gave us all of them we wanted. We got word that some of our mail has been lost. I am very contented over here. It is just like July in the States all the time and nice cool evenings. We will receive a two months pay in a few days and this is a good place to save money, as there is no place to spend it unless we go to Manila which is only eight miles from here but think there will only be a few who will get passes. We have very fine quarters here in a large church. It must have been a very fine church at one time. Some of the statues still remain but the boys are securing everything they can to keep in remembrance of the church. It is a shame how the Filippinoes things have gone to rack. We do not know whether we will stay our full time or not, but I do not think we will as every Regiment that comes over here never serves the full time, I think we will be able to eat our next Christmas dinner at home. We have to be very careful what we eat have all kinds of fruit. We are getting good food now as there is a boat that runs between here and Manila two times a day, and brings fresh beef up every two days. The beef is frozen two days after we get it. It is from the United States and is furnished by Armour & Co. It is a little dangerous on guard here as they are getting a great many scouts and sharp shooters who do all there work at night. We have all our own washing to do and people at home would laugh to be along the shores on Friday as the men wash their clothes for the Saturday Inspection. Give my love to all the folks at home from your loving brother,

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Co G, 47th U. S. V.

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—The employes of the Steel Works at Harrisburg have been notified of an increase of wages after the first of March next. The addition will amount to ten per cent. and will effect about ten thousand workmen.


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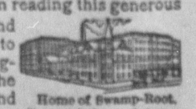
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**Etiquette of the Print Shop.**

Parties wishing to enter the printing office at this season should be governed by the following rules: Advance to the outer door and give three distinct raps or kick the door down. The "devil" will attend to the alarm. You will give you name, postoffice address, and the number of years you are owning for the paper. He will admit you. You will advance to the centre of the room and address the editor with the following countersign: Extend the right hand about to feet from the body, with the thumb and fingers extended, the thumb and index finger clasping a $5 bill, which drops into the extended hand of the editor, at the same time saying, "Were you looking for me?" The editor will grasp your hand and the bill and pressing it will say: "You bet." After giving him the news of your locality you will be permitted to retire with a receipt for an obligation discharged.

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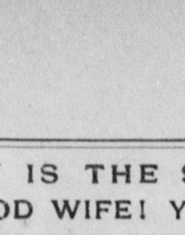


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**The Start of Fires:**

The frequent number of conflagrations—the most destructive—occur in the winter season, and the men who are authority on this subject say they mostly originate from overheated stoves and furnaces. People are not as careful of their heating arrangements as they should be. Where the old fashioned method of heating with stoves is retained there is constant danger, and the surprise is that there are so few fires. In many cases the stove is run by a boy whose mind is on anything except his work. He fills up the stove in the evening and leaves the draft on to its fullest extent. During the night a brisk wind starts up and in a short time the coal that was intended to last all night is in a blaze. If there is anything of a combustible nature or easily to be ignited within a dozen feet of the overheated stove there is sure to be a conflagration. People cannot be too careful with their heating appliances. They should not be left to the care of boys. Before they are left at night they should be examined and regulated by some careful person. Besides stoves should be replaced by warm air, steam or hot water furnaces, which the fire is not likely to overheat. During the two months of winter that remain—February and March—high winds often prevail, and it would be well for all of us to be constantly on our guard.

**Pennsylvania Taxes.**

Secretary of Internal Affairs Latta has issued the advance sheets of his annual report for 1899 on taxes and assessments. The report shows that there was collected for the construction and repair of streets, roads and bridges, a total of $11,312,528 50. for the support of the poor, $2,603,482 18. and for the support of the common schools, $13,512,622 76. The total amount of taxes collected during the year for all purpose through the locals channels of taxation was $55,898,535 52. The total collection from liquor licenses foots up over $6,000,000. Secretary Latta recommends a modification in the law requiring assessors to make returns of cleared and timber lands.

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## THE GOEBEL ASSASSINATION.

**Suspected Man Under Arrest Makes a Partial Confession.**

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 10.—The authorities expect to obtain important evidence regarding the assassination of Democratic Governor Goebel from Silas Jones, who was arrested yesterday. Jones has already made a partial confession. He declares that he personally knows nothing of the crime, but says that Harlan Whittaker, who was arrested immediately after the shooting while running from the executive building, from which the shots were fired, knows a great deal more about the crime. It is believed that Jones gave more information than that regarding Whittaker, and that what he told the police may lead to further arrests in the neighborhood of Richmond, Madison county, Ky.

**An Unsavory Record.**

Chicago, Feb. 10.—The police say the name of the man who was killed last Thursday night, while attempting to hold up and rob C. A. Woerner's pavilion, is Frank Spencer. His record, according to the police, was as follows: Served six years in the Ohio state penitentiary for burglary in Johnson county, Ohio; previous to this time shot and killed the town marshal of Kittanning, Pa.; sentenced to nine years in Canon City, Colo., for safe blowing in Pueblo, Colo.; robbery and attempted murder of Policeman Schumacher, in Chicago, Oct. 29, 1893; now wanted in Ohio for murder. In Ohio he was known as Patrick O'Keefe.

**Grief, Insomnia, Suicide.**

Chicago, Feb. 10.—William M. Knapp, special agent of the Phoenix Insurance company, who lived at 2816 Calumet avenue, committed suicide yesterday in the Hotel Grace, by shooting himself in the temple and the mouth. The body was found about 12 hours after the shots were fired. It is thought that the suicide was due to temporary insanity, caused by the deaths of several friends and Mr. Knapp's father, and to insomnia. His accounts with the insurance company are correct, and he is said to have been one of their most trusted men.

**Warrants For Democratic Members.**

London, Ky., Feb. 10.—The following message from Republican Governor Taylor was received yesterday by a member of the Republican legislature: "Have warrants issued for members of the house and put in the hands of sergeant-at-arms to serve." The warrants were made out late yesterday and given to Sergeant-at-Arms Cecil, of the house. Lieutenant Governor Marshall telegraphed he would be here today.

**Stop the Pain But Destroy the Stomach.**

This is sadly too often the case. So many nauseous nostrum purporting to cure, because they are so loaded with injurious drugs and narcotics, in the end do the patient immensely more harm than good and in many cases so destroy the digestive organs that a cure is impossible. Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets are a purely vegetable pepsin preparation, as harmless as milk. One after eating prevents any disorder of the digestive organs. 18 in a box, 10 cents—75.

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## GENERAL LAWTON'S FUNERAL.

**Every Department of Government Paid Tribute to the Honored Dead.**

Washington, Feb. 10.—Major General Henry W. Lawton was buried yesterday in the National cemetery at Arlington. The burial service beneath the leafless trees at Arlington was preceded by services in the Church of the Covenant on Connecticut avenue, at which every department of the government was represented, including the president, congress, the supreme court, all the ranking officers of the army and navy within reach of Washington, Lawton's old comrades of the line and staff, the diplomatic corps in all its brilliance of uniform and decoration, and as many citizens of all degrees as were fortunate enough to find standing room within the walls. But the crowd within was insignificant compared with the thousands who braved the lowering winter's day for a glimpse of the flag draped caisson, with its military escort, as it passed through the streets. Hundreds more made the toilsome pilgrimage to Arlington to hear the last words pronounced above the open grave, where the president, cabinet and general commanding the army stood with bowed heads till the last volley had been fired and the bugle sounded taps.

**Stole a Tray of Diamonds.**

Louisville, Feb. 10.—Rodgers & Krull, jewelers, were robbed last night of $3,000 worth of diamonds. Two men entered the store and while one engaged Mr. Rodgers in conversation the other secreted a tray of diamonds. The robbery was not discovered until an hour after the men left the store. They are still at large.

**Ex-Secretary Thompson Dead.**

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 10.—E-Secretary of the Navy Richard W. Thompson, "Uncle Dick," as he has been called for more than a generation, died yesterday at the advanced age of 91. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

**Dying Man Grasps at a Straw.**

"Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart has done so much for me, that I feel I owe it to suffering humanity to give testimony. For years I had smothering spells, pains in my left side, and swelled ankles. When I took the first dose of Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure, my friends thought I was dying, it gave me almost instant relief, and six bottles entirely cured me." Mrs. F. L. Lumsden, Scranton, Pa.—71.

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# TALBERT GETS A SNUB.

## Chairman Hepburn Refuses to Recognize the Southern Member.

## HIS THREAT PROVES EFFECTIVE

**He Has Forced Congress to Produce a Quorum at the Friday Night Session For Private Pension Bills, Incidentally Having His Feelings Hurt**

Washington, Feb. 10.—There was a scene at the night session of the house last night which momentarily recalled the stirring and exciting days of the Fifty-first congress. An irate member rushed down the main aisle brandishing his arms and shouting for recognition, while half the Democratic members were on their feet execrating the occupant of the chair for what they termed his arbitrary course, and from several places in the hall came loud hisses.

Friday night of last week Mr. Talbert (S. C.) blocked private pension legislation because there was no quorum present and threatened to continue to do so at every Friday night session unless a quorum were present. His warning had its effect. There was an unusually large attendance when the house was called to order at 8 o'clock last night. Speaker Henderson himself was in the chair and the galleries, usually empty at night sessions, were crowded in anticipation of a lively time. Mr. Talbert made good his threat as soon as the motion was made to go into committee of the whole, but the roll call showed the presence of a score or more of members in excess of a quorum. The friends of private pension bills were jubilant.

Mr. Hepburn (Ia.) was called to preside over the committee of the whole, and the clerk read the first bill. Mr. Talbert arose leisurely while the bill was being put through the legislative stages, the adoption of committee amendments, engrossment, third reading and final passage and addressed the chair. He was completely ignored. Another bill was read, engrossed, read a third time and passed, all in the space of a minute, with Mr. Talbert still clamoring for recognition. A third bill was passed in the same way.

By this time the whole Democratic side was aroused. A dozen memebrs were on their feet. Mr. Talbert, thoroughly angered, started down the main aisle, shouting: "Mr. Chairman," "Mr. Chairman," as he approached. He reached the area in front of the speaker's rostrum, all the while roaring out his denunciation of the chairman's arbitrary course, before the chairman condescended to recognize him. Democrats all about were also shouting their disapproval. The Republicans seemed to be enjoying the storm which the chairman's course had raised.

Mr. Talbert rapidly cooled down after he had been recognized, and explained in a brief speech that the presence of a quorum had completely vindicated his position. He had no feeling against the men who served on the federal side of the civil war, but he was opposed to loose, reckless, unconstitutional methods. He suggested that the house set aside a day each month for pension legislation and discontinue the night sessions. Mr. Sims (Tenn.), who is interested in southern war claims, made some caustic remarks in criticism of the Republican leaders for side tracking these "just obligations" of the government in favor of pension bills.

"Does the gentleman contend that the government owes the old soldiers nothing?" interposed some one on the Republican side.

"Oh," "Oh," jeered the Democrats.

The committee then proceeded with the consideration of pension bills and 35 were favorably acted upon.

Before adjournment Representative Gaines, of Tennessee, called attention of the house to section 4,716, revised statutes, under which no widow, child or heir of any person who engaged in, aided or abetted the rebellion can be given a pension, and the pension committee signified that it would look into the matter and take suitable action.

**Hanged For Criminal Assault.**

Lumberton, N. C., Feb. 9.—A negro named Reuben Ross was hanged yesterday for criminal assault upon a white woman named Mrs. Bettie Ingram. Ross was twice reprieved by Governor Russell on account of a shower of protests from white people. These were met by equally strong protests demanding the hanging of the negro. The reprieve having expired the execution quietly took place yesterday. The negro declared his innocence of this crime, but said he was guilty of the assault on a young white women of Rockingham for which a negro, John Evans, was hanged.

**Ex-Convict Shot While Burglarizing**

Chillicothe, O., Feb. 10.—A burglar giving his name as John Schumacher, and his home as Lima, O., was fatally shot at Higby's Station, while he and three others were attempting to rob the safe at the store of Higby & Son. The burglars were surprised by Charles Higby, merchant, and Charles McCoppin, a telegraph operator. They fired on the robbers, wounding one. The other three escaped. It was later ascertained that the wounded man's name is John Johnson, who was released from the Ohio penitentiary on Jan. 20.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD
In effect July 10, 1899.

| Westward. | | | | Eastward. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| p m | a m | | | a m | p m |
| 1 38 | 5 40 | | Montandon | 9 15 | 4 50 |
| 1 45 | 6 35 | | Lewisburg | 9 05 | 4 47 |
| 1 57 | 6 47 | | Vicksburg | 8 55 | 4 35 |
| 2 05 | 6 55 | | Mifflinburg | 8 45 | 4 27 |
| 2 16 | 7 07 | | Millmont | 8 33 | 4 16 |
| 2 23 | 7 13 | | Glen Iron | 8 26 | 4 08 |
| 2 51 | 7 40 | | Paddy Mountain | 8 00 | 3 43 |
| 3 02 | 7 50 | | Coburn | 7 50 | 3 32 |
| 3 08 | 7 57 | | Zerby | 7 45 | 3 25 |
| 3 17 | 8 05 | | Rising Spring | 7 35 | 3 17 |
| 3 28 | 8 11 | | Penns Cave | 7 28 | 3 10 |
| 3 30 | 8 18 | | Centre Hall | 7 22 | 3 02 |
| 3 35 | 8 24 | | Gregg | 7 17 | 2 55 |
| 3 42 | 8 31 | | Linden Hall | 7 10 | 2 48 |
| 3 46 | 8 35 | | Oak Hall | 7 06 | 2 43 |
| 3 50 | 8 39 | | Lemont | 7 02 | 2 38 |
| 3 54 | 8 43 | | Dale Summit | 6 57 | 2 34 |
| 4 03 | 8 52 | | Pleasant Gap | 6 48 | 2 24 |
| 4 06 | 8 55 | | Axemann | 6 45 | 2 21 |
| 4 30 | 9 00 | | Bellefonte | 6 40 | 2 15 |

PENNSYLVANIA R. R. AND BRANCHES
Schedule in effect Nov. 20, 1899.

Via Tyrone—Westward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.16 a m, at Altoona 1 p m, at Pittsburg 5.50 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.15 p m, at Altoona 3.10 p m at Pittsburg 6.55 p m
Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Altoona 7.35 p m, at Pittsburg 11.30 p m

Via Tyrone—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.16, at Harrisburg 2.40 p m, at Philadelphia 5.47 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.15 p m, at Harrisburg 6.45 p m, at Philadelphia 10.20 p m
Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Harrisburg 10 p m

Via Lock Haven—Northward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m
Leave Bellefonte 1.42 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.45 p m, at Williamsport 3.50 p m
Leave Bellefonte 8.31 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9.30 p m

Via Lock Haven—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m, leave Williamsport 12.40 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.15 p m, at Philadelphia at 6.25 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.42 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.45 p m, arrive at Williamsport 3.50 p m, leave 4.00 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 6.55 p m, Philadelphia 10.20 p m
Leave Bellefonte 8.31 p m arrive at Lock Haven 9.30 p m, leave Williamsport 1.05 a m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.55 a m, arrive at Philadelphia 6.52 a m

Via Lewisburg.

Leave Bellefonte at 6.40 a m, arrive at Lewisburg at 9.05 a m, Montandon 9.15 a m Harrisburg 11.30 a m, Philadelphia 3.17 p m.
Leave Bellefonte 2.15 p m, arrive at Lewisburg 4.47, at Harrisburg 6.55 p m, Philadelphia at 10.20 p m

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J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass Agt.
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TYRONE AND CLEARFIELD RAILROAD.
Time table in effect July. 25, 1899.

| NORTHWARD. | | | | | SOUTHWARD | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| EXPRESS. | DAY EXPRESS. | MAIL. | STATIONS. | EXPRESS. | DAY EXPRESS. | MAIL. |
| P M | P M | A M | Lv Ar | P M | A M | P M |
| 7 20 | 3 20 | 8 20 | ..... Tyrone | 8 50 | 11 20 | 6 10 |
| 7 26 | 3 26 | 8 26 | ...East Tyrone.. | 8 49 | 11 14 | 6 04 |
| 7 28 | 3 28 | 8 28 | .....Tyrone S..... | | 11 12 | 6 02 |
| 7 31 | 3 30 | 8 31 | ..... Vail ..... | 8 45 | 11 09 | 5 57 |
| 7 41 | 3 40 | 8 42 | ...Vanscoyoc.... | 8 38 | 11 02 | 5 52 |
| 7 45 | 3 44 | 8 47 | ..... Gardner ..... | 8 32 | 10 59 | 5 48 |
| 7 54 | 3 53 | 8 57 | ...Mt. Pleasant.. | 8 27 | 10 51 | 5 40 |
| 8 00 | 3 59 | 9 05 | .....Summit ..... | 8 20 | 10 44 | 5 32 |
| 8 05 | 4 03 | 9 09 | ...Sandy Ridge.. | 8 14 | 10 38 | 5 27 |
| 8 06 | 4 05 | 9 11 | .....Retort ..... | 8 11 | 10 35 | 5 21 |
| 8 07 | 4 06 | 9 12 | ..... Powelton ..... | 8 09 | 10 33 | 5 19 |
| 8 15 | 4 12 | 9 19 | ..... Osceola ..... | 7 59 | 10 23 | 5 08 |
| | | 9 26 | .Osceola Junct | | 10 20 | 5 04 |
| 8 19 | 4 16 | 9 29 | .....Boynton ..... | 7 55 | 10 17 | 5 01 |
| 8 23 | 4 20 | 9 32 | .....Steiners ..... | 7 51 | 10 13 | 4 57 |
| 8 26 | 4 23 | 9 40 | ...Philipsburg ... | 7 50 | 10 12 | 4 56 |
| 8 31 | 4 29 | 9 45 | .....Graham ..... | 7 46 | 10 07 | 4 51 |
| 8 36 | 4 34 | 9 50 | ..... Blue Ball... | 7 41 | 10 02 | 4 46 |
| 8 42 | 4 40 | 9 56 | .....Wallaceton... | 7 36 | 9 56 | 4 39 |
| 8 47 | 4 45 | 10 02 | .....Higler ..... | 7 31 | 9 50 | 4 33 |
| 8 53 | 4 50 | 10 08 | ...Woodland..... | 7 26 | 9 45 | 4 27 |
| 8 56 | 4 54 | 10 11 | Mineral Spr'gs | 7 23 | 9 42 | 4 23 |
| 9 00 | 4 58 | 10 15 | ..... Barrett ..... | 7 21 | 9 39 | 4 20 |
| 9 05 | 5 03 | 10 22 | .....Leonard..... | 7 17 | 9 35 | 4 15 |
| 9 09 | 5 07 | 10 26 | .....Clearfield ... | 7 13 | 9 31 | 4 09 |
| 9 14 | 5 12 | 10 32 | .....Riverview.... | 7 09 | 9 26 | 4 03 |
| 9 20 | 5 18 | 10 39 | Susque. Bridge | 7 04 | 9 20 | 3 56 |
| 9 25 | 5 37 | 10 44 | ..Curwensville .. | 7 00 | 9 15 | 3 51 |
| | 5 48 | 10 50 | .....Rustic..... | 6 54 | | 3 35 |
| | 5 51 | 10 58 | .....Stronach ..... | 6 46 | | 3 27 |
| | 5 57 | 11 04 | .....Grampian ..... | 6 49 | | 3 21 |
| P M | P M | P M | Ar Lv | P M | A M | P M |

BALD EAGLE VALLEY—PENNSYLVANIA Railroad Division. Daily except Sunday. Schedule in effect on and after July 10, 1899.

| Westward. | | | | Eastward. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 55 | 53 | 51 | | 50 | 52 | 54 |
| p m | p m | a m | | a m | p m | p m |
| 5 45 | 12 10 | 8 55 | ...Lock Haven.. | 10 30 | 2 43 | 9 30 |
| 5 49 | | 8 59 | ... Flemington ... | 10 24 | 2 39 | 9 26 |
| 3 51 | 12 16 | 9 01 | .....Mill Hall..... | 10 22 | 2 37 | 9 24 |
| 4 02 | 12 26 | 9 12 | ...Beech Creek .. | 10 11 | 2 26 | 9 13 |
| 4 05 | 12 29 | 9 15 | ....Eagleville.... | 10 08 | 2 23 | 9 10 |
| 4 11 | 12 38 | 9 24 | ..... Howard..... | 9 59 | 2 14 | 9 01 |
| 4 20 | | 9 30 | ...Mount Eagle... | 9 53 | 2 08 | 8 55 |
| 4 25 | 12 48 | 9 34 | ..... Curtin ..... | 9 49 | 2 04 | 8 51 |
| 4 32 | 12 55 | 9 41 | .....Milesburg..... | 9 40 | 1 55 | 8 45 |
| 4 44 | 1 05 | 9 56 | .....Bellefonte,.... | 9 28 | 1 42 | 8 31 |
| 4 53 | 1 13 | 10 01 | ....Milesburg ..... | 9 18 | 1 33 | 8 23 |
| 4 56 | 1 16 | 10 04 | ...Snow Shoe Int... | 9 15 | 1 30 | 8 20 |
| 5 03 | 1 24 | 10 11 | ....Unionville.... | 9 07 | 1 23 | 8 12 |
| 5 12 | 1 31 | 10 20 | .....Julian ..... | 8 58 | 1 14 | 8 23 |
| 5 21 | 1 39 | 10 28 | .....Martha..... | 8 49 | 1 06 | 7 54 |
| 5 28 | 1 45 | 10 36 | ...Port Matilda... | 8 42 | 1 00 | 7 47 |
| 5 35 | 1 51 | 10 44 | .....Hannah..... | 8 35 | 12 54 | 7 40 |
| 5 37 | | 10 46 | .....Fowler..... | 8 33 | 12 52 | 7 38 |
| 5 40 | | 10 49 | ..... Dix..... | 8 30 | 12 50 | 7 35 |
| 5 46 | 2 01 | 10 56 | ...Bald Eagle.... | 8 24 | 12 44 | 7 29 |
| 5 50 | 2 05 | 11 00 | .....Vail ..... | 8 20 | 12 40 | 7 25 |
| 5 54 | 2 09 | 11 04 | ...East Tyrone... | 8 16 | 12 36 | 7 21 |
| 6 00 | 2 15 | 11 10 | .....Tyrone..... | 8 10 | 12 30 | 7 15 |
| p m | p m | a m | | a m | p m | p m |

Nos. 56 and 55 will run daily.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Condensed Time Table.

| READ DOWN. | | | Jan. 21, 1900. | | READ UP | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| No. 1 | No. 5 | No. 3 | | | No. 6 | No. 2 | No. 4 |
| a.m. | p.m. | p.m. | Lv. | Ar. | p.m | a.m. | p.m |
| *7 10 | *6 30 | *2 40 | Bellefonte | | 9 02 | 9 40 | 5 16 |
| 7 22 | 6 42 | 2 52 | Nigh | | 8 49 | 9 27 | 4 57 |
| 7 28 | 6 48 | 2 58 | Zion | | 8 43 | 9 21 | 4 51 |
| 7 33 | 6 51 | 3 03 | Hecla Park | | 8 38 | 9 16 | 4 46 |
| 7 35 | 6 53 | 3 05 | Dunkles | | 8 36 | 9 14 | 4 44 |
| 7 39 | 6 59 | 3 09 | Hublersburg | | 8 32 | 9 10 | 4 40 |
| 7 43 | 7 03 | 3 13 | Snydertown | | 8 28 | 9 06 | 4 36 |
| 7 46 | 7 05 | 3 16 | Nittany | | 8 25 | 9 03 | 4 33 |
| 7 48 | 7 09 | 3 18 | Huston | | 8 22 | 9 00 | 4 30 |
| 7 51 | 7 12 | 3 21 | Lamar | | 8 19 | 8 57 | 4 27 |
| 7 53 | 7 15 | 3 23 | Clintondale | | 8 16 | 8 54 | 4 24 |
| 7 57 | 7 19 | 3 27 | Krider's S'n'g | | 8 12 | 8 49 | 4 19 |
| 8 02 | 7 24 | 3 32 | Mackeyville | | 8 06 | 8 43 | 4 13 |
| 8 08 | 7 30 | 3 38 | Cedar Springs | | 7 59 | 8 37 | 4 07 |
| 8 10 | 7 32 | 3 40 | Salona | | 7 57 | 8 35 | 4 05 |
| 8 15 | 7 37 | 3 45 | Mill Hall | | *7 52 | *8 30 | *4 00 |
| | | | (BEECH CREEK R. R.) | | | | |
| 11 45 | | | Jersey Shore | | | 7 55 | 3 25 |
| 12 20 | 8 15 | | Arr | Lve | | 7 25 | *2 50 |
| 12 34 | 8 45 | | WM'PORT | Arr | | *8 55 | 2 30 |
| | 11 30 | | Lve | Lve | | | |
| | | | (PHILA AND READING RY) | | | | |
| 8 29 | | | PHILA | | | 11 36 | *8 36 |
| 10 40 | 7 09 | | NEW YORK | | | 29 00 | *4 30 |
| | 29 30 | | (Via Phila) | | | | |
| p.m | | | Ar. | Lv. | p.m. | | a.m. |

*Daily. + Week Days. ‡ 6 00 p. m. Sunday ‡ 10 55 a. m. Sunday.

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J. W. GEHART,
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SNOW SHOE BRANCH—DAILY EXCEPT Sunday—In effect July 10, 1899.

| a m | STATIONS. | p m |
|---|---|---|
| 11 26 | Arrive Snow Shoe Leave | 7 40 |
| 10 00 | Snow Shoe Intersection | 9 15 |
| 10 01 | Milesburg | 9 18 |
| 9 53 | Leave Bellefonte Arrive | 9 32 |

| 7 27 | | 5 15 |
|---|---|---|
| 6 05 | | 4 56 |
| 5 55 | | 5 05 |
| 5 45 | | 5 20 |

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, April 3rd, 1899, trains will run as follows, leaving the P. R. R. station.

| WESTWARD. | | | | EASTWARD. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| College Accm. | Exp. | | | Mail. | Exp. | Bellf Accm. |
| 1† | *5 | *3 | | *2 | *4 | 6† |
| a.m | p m | a m | Lv | Ar | a m | p m | p. m |
| 6 30 | 4 15 | 10 30 | Bellefonte | 8 50 | 2 40 | 6 40 |
| 6 35 | 4 21 | 10 37 | Coleville | 8 40 | 2 25 | 6 30 |
| f6 38 | f4 25 | f10 42 | Morris | f 8 37 | f2 22 | f6 27 |
| f6 43 | f4 28 | f10 47 | Whitmer | f8 35 | f2 17 | f6 23 |
| f6 46 | f4 33 | f10 53 | Hunters | f8 31 | f2 10 | f6 21 |
| f6 50 | f4 36 | f10 56 | Filmore | f8 28 | f2 06 | f6 18 |
| f6 55 | f4 40 | f11 02 | Briarly | f8 24 | f2 00 | f6 14 |
| 7 00 | 4 43 | 11 05 | Waddle | 8 20 | 1 55 | 6 10 |
| f7 08 | f4 45 | f11 08 | Lambourn | f8 18 | f1 52 | f6 07 |
| f7 12 | f4 55 | f11 20 | Krumrine | f8 07 | f1 37 | f5 52 |
| 7 25 | 5 00 | 11 15 | State College | 8 00 | 1 30 | 5 45 |
| f7 27 | f5 05 | f11 24 | Struble | f7 45 | f1 24 | f5 25 |
| f7 31 | f5 10 | | Bloomsdorf | f7 40 | | f5 20 |
| 7 35 | 5 15 | | Pine Grv Mills | 7 35 | | 5 15 |

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BY the way, what has Buller been doing while the attention of the country was riveted on Kentucky?

### Quay Will Lead His Forces Against the Enemy.

That Quay is to battle for supremacy in the next session of the legislature none can dispute. Whatever the result of his senatorial contest, now tabled in the United States Senate, may be, the old man is going to move heaven and earth to secure a majority in the joint assembly of 1901. He knows full well that his defeat for United States Senator will be the death knell of his political machine, and with him will perish the political ambition, power and influence of his dearest friends and basest conspirators, Penrose, Elkins, Stone, Durham and hundreds of lesser lights but no less corrupt associates. Quay is now taking a personal hand in outlining the plan of campaign for legislative contests in every county in the State that is not hopelessly against him. He is preparing to make the fight of his life, and if political debauchery, corrupt methods of warfare and dishonest elections are to be used without public protest and resistance he will regain the prestige he has lost during the past year or more.

If there ever was a time in the history of the Commonwealth when her people should come to the front and by their action and influence reclaim the State, her institutions and her future from the hands of the Quay band of political despoilers and corruptionists that time is now, the present. We Republicans in Centre County have a duty to perform, an obligation to discharge. This duty, this obligation is what we owe to good citizenship. If we would be proud of our heritage as citizens of Pennsylvania; if we would desire only the welfare of our Commonwealth, purity in our State government and honesty in our elections, our course is clear, our duty mandatory. We must assist in the insurrection against one man power, against prostitution of public office for personal profit to the detriment of public interest, against, in fact, every evil the Quay machine has fastened upon our State government and the Republican party in Pennsylvania. The good name of our Commonwealth, her honor and fame, have been dragged into the gutter of political degradation, and by political tricksters and profligates in whom honor and sense of decency has long since been dead if it ever had existed. The insurgents of Pennsylvania will welcome Quay into the coming campaign. He is the chief factor in the organization they are determined to overthrow and demolish. It is fitting that he should fall at the head of his "irregular" troops. Mr. Quay need not cast his eye in the direction of old Centre, it will be mighty cold comfort he will get from her citizens. Would that every county in the State was as firmly opposed to Quay and Quayism. There would be no question but that he would meet his Waterloo next November. Let us all work to accomplish this much desired result in spite of the obstacles that stand in the way. Right must prevail, Quay must go down.

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Judge Bregy, of the Philadelphia courts, rendered great service to the Commonwealth, to the people and to the cause of honest elections by his imposition of the maximum sentence upon the Fifth ward ballot box stuffers and election conspirators who were last week convicted in the courts of Philadelphia. Judge Bregy administered justice in a way that must have a salutory effect upon others who have been guilty of similar crimes but who have escaped detection and those who from high and important official position inspire and direct the frauds that willing and unscrupulous "heelers" are procured to perpetrate. That the Judge had these political corruptionists in mind is evidenced in a paragraph of his remarks prefacing his passing of the sentence upon the culprits: "I trust it will be considered by others who are equally as guilty as you. And there are many persons occupying the same position as you, as far as guilt is concerned." It is indeed a pity that the arm of the law is not long enough to reach at the same time, the real election violators and not only their tools. The men who should be wearing the stripes in the penitentiary to-day for crime against our ballot laws are those unclean creatures who manipulate the machine politics in Philadelphia; who bask in the sunshine of their masters' favor and whose names are listed in the official directory of the city and state governments.

The political death of Quay and his machine would cleanse the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania of the rottenness and corruption that is fast destroying the fair fame of our State and wrecking the structure of honest and pure government erected by those patriots and statesmen whose public service was only for public interest, whose only ambition was to promote the welfare of the people and make Pennsylvania great and powerful in the sisterhood of States.

### Ships Subsidy Bill will Save Millions Per Annum.

The House committee on Merchant Marine has agreed to report several amendments to the shipping bill, in order to meet the objections that have been raised from various sources. These amendments make the bill acceptable to nearly all the Republicans in each House. One of them limits the total subsidy to be paid in any one year to $9,000,000 and the total amount of this that can be paid to steamships of the "Atlantic greyhound" class to $2,000,000, thus retaining $7,000,000 for the slower and more important freight carrying vessels. This amendment, it is expected, will do away with the objections of the western farmers who care nothing for the building up of our merchant marine but who do wish to secure cheap transportation for their crops. It has been estimated that sufficient encouragament to American ships to enable them to compete with foreign ones, would result in a 25 per cent. reduction of ocean freights. These now average $4 a ton and their reduction to this extent would save the country $40,000,000 annually on the basis of last year's exports. It would save the farmers alone some $24,000,000 in freight charges on their products. The profit to the country from this one source can be estimated by the difference between the nine millions the bill will cost and the forty millions it will save.

### Civil Rule for the Philippines.

General Otis has been notified of the appointment of Judge Taft as President of the new Philippine Commission, which is to establish a civil rule in those islands, and has been ordered to disseminate the intelligence broadcast so as to assure the natives of the President's intentions to give them civil instead of military rule at the earliest possible moment, This announcement is also designed to pave the way for the general proclamation of amnesty soon to be issued by the President, declaring the rebellion at an end and calling on the people to return to their work under the protection of the United States, with the penalty of being declared outlaws if they do not do so within a certain time. Judge Taft has given out a brief interview stating that he thinks the work will be accomplished within two or three years. He realizes that it will be a difficult task to discharge but hopes it will result in giving the natives a code which will secure to them the greatest possible freedom.

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OF course some of the Democrats will shout "Anglo-American Alliance" at the treaty by which England gives up her right to the dual control in the Nicaragua Canal which she gained from the Clayton-Bulwer treaty of fifty years ago. The Democrats have made this cry before, but it has not impressed anybody. It will win no votes for their candidate this year. The McKinley administration has gained a great triumph by inducing England to surrender a privilege which many Presidents, including Cleveland, tried to get that country to give up. This triumph troubles the Democratic bosses, but the people like it. Incidentally, it will win many votes for the Republican party in 1900.

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COLONEL Bryan has concluded his eastern tour without finding a running mate with a barl. Few rich men are willing to risk their cash on the hopeless chance next fall.

### Where Every Prospect Pleases.

The news concerning the recent discovery of valuable mineral deposits in Centre County, on the land owned by Charles Schad, of Bellefonte, and located near by the town, which has been extensively heralded throughout the State, has actually penetrated the dark, obscure and hidden recesses of the editorial jungles of the Pittsburg *Times* and arrested the attention of the sarcastic editor of that newsy and progressive journal just long enough to allow him to work off the following satirical spasm apropos of the alleged discovery and Centre County in general:

"Every once in a while a story comes down from Centre County telling of the discovery of the lost mines of the aborigines, and the treasure that the finder unearths in his imagination is richer than the land of Ophir. And what is most cheering, each time the mine is located anew it comes to the front with new resources. The last appearance of the modern Potosi as described by a correspondent, says that some startling discoveries have been made. Not far below the surface is a vein of lead 10 feet thick assaying over 70 per cent. Under this is a vein of kaolin and below that a paying deposit of yellow and white ochre. When this much had been unearthed along came the inevitable Western miner who also pointed out the unfailing veins of gold and silver which will assay a profitable figure.

Some folks would think a property like this valuable enough but it is a mere bagatelle to what might be found if Centre County were properly searched. No doubt above the lead vein is a potato lode that might assay 150 bushels to the acre and which if planted regularly each spring would prove inexhausible. Over the potato tops perhaps might be observed an outcropping of apple blossoms which is rather promising when found in the Centre County ridges. And there are prospectors in that county who have located fishing worm diggings, and woodchuck holes in close proximity to the other deposits. No doubt a vein of ginseng is hidden away in the cool gulches, and ginseng is worth $4 a pound. Outcroppings of spring onions will be found by the active prospector up that way, indications of roast beef and sirloin steak have been noticed on some of the hills, and along the streams. All Centre County wants is development."

The writer of the foregoing concludes his ironical effusions, it will be observed, with the charitable assertion that "All Centre County wants is development." He establishes his ignorance of Centre County, its resources, its achievements, its possibilities, by such a declaration. Centre County has developed and is developing, and in many respects far in advance of any other county in the Commonwealth, not excepting Allegheny County. If this member of the *Times* editorial staff will but emerge from his den in the *Times* building and visit the county which his imagination and fondness for witicism (?) has lead him to burlesque he will find a district whose beauty of scenery, whose fertility of soil, whose grandeur of mountain range is not to be surpassed in any country, and a happiness and a prosperity of the people that bespeaks a development and progressiveness that justly places Centre County in the front rank of the counties of the Keystone State.

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CONGRESSMAN Sibley, of Pennsylvania, who has just formally come over to the Republicans, was one of the ablest and most ardent of the Bryanite chieftains in 1896. He made many speeches for Byan in that canvass, and has spoken often since then on the Bryanite side in Congress. Events, however, have shown Sibley that he was wrong, and he has got out of his old companionship. One difference between men like Sibley and Bourbons like Bryan is that the Sibleys learn something from experience while the Bryans do not. Many other influential Bryanites will follow Sibley out of their party before election day.

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SENATOR Mason has thus far regretted his inability to accept any of the numerous invitations sent him to resign. Perhaps he may get lock jaw and die. A fatal epidemic to run a certain course in the United States Senate at the present time would rid the country of an intolerable pest.

### WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12, 1900

President McKinley and Secretary Hay are not more egotistical than other men, but they would be more than human if they did not enjoy two rapidity with which the Nicaragua Canal treaty is gaining supporters, as its foresight and wisdom is being recognized. Last week when the treaty was first sent to the Senate, there was an outcry against it, because it provided for the neutrality of the Canal and pledged this government not to fortify either end of it. The lobbyists who, for one reason or another are opposed to the construction of the Nicaragua Canal, saw their opportunity and made the most of it, and for several days it really looked as though they would be able to create a sentiment against the treaty that might jeopardize its ratification by the Senate with a few honorable exceptions, the democratic Senators, who are wildly hunting for campaign material, have been and are acting as allies of the lobbyists, although themselves claiming to favor the construction of the canal. It now seems reasonably certain that the treaty will be ratified with votes to spare. In agreeing to making the canal neutral, the treaty advertises the fact that the U. S. aims to be the greatest commercial nation in the world, rather than a military bully among the nations, and that advertisement will add millions to our foreign commerce. President McKinley and Secretary Hay, in negotiating that treaty, recognized the fact that the U. S. has a Navy, and will always have one, strong enough to meet any enemies it may have, and that much more would be gained by assuring the world of the neutrality of the canal than could possibly be gained by fortifying it and reserving the right to close it against the ships of any nation with which we might be at war. In making the canal neutral, it will be under the joint protection of every maritime power in the world—that protection will be assured by a formal treaty, later— and its safety from attack from any country with which we may be at war, made certain. If we should have to reserved the right to close the canal to enemies, we should have to assert that right by force, which would be more costly than beneficial, from any point of view.

Senator-elect Bard, of California, is not widely known in Congress, outside of the California delegation, but Senator Perkins, whose judgment is relied upon by all who know him, says he has known Senator Bard for more than a quarter of a century, and that his solid qualities will make him a decided acquisition to the Senate.

Judge J. T. McDonald, of Salt Lake City, now in Washington, said of the effect in Utah of the shutting of Roberts out of the House: "I think that in the future no polygamist will be elected to any Federal office, and I doubt if any polygamist will be elected to any office. The decision of the House was an earnest showing of the sentiment of the country and the conviction of the Government. I do not think there will be any more bucking against it."

Hon. Thomas B. Reed said a few years ago that this was a billion dollar country. Today, it can be truthfully said that this is a two billion dollar country. Last year, the foreign commerce of the U. S. exceeded two billion dollars in value and the official treasury figures for the first week in February 1900, show that, for the first time in our history, the amount of money in circulation in the country, exceeds two billion dollars. It will not be forgotten when the time comes for the people to vote again, in a national election, that it was a republican administration and a republican Congress that first made it necessary to use ten figures to show the business condition of this, the most prosperous country on earth. This is a two-billion dollar country. Impress that colossal fact upon your mind.

Chairman Payne. of the House Ways and Means Committee, gave notice in presenting the majority report in favor of the Porto Rico tariff bill that the measure would be called up in the House on the 15th inst. The report claims that the quantity of Porto Rican sugar and tobacco sent to the U. S.—about four million pounds of tobacco, and about 45,000 tons of sugar—is not large enough to affect prices, and that there is no good ground for the opposition to allowing the Porto Rican products to come in for 25 per cent of the duty upon similar foreign products. The bill provides that all collections in the islands both from duties and other sources, as well as the duties collected on Porto Rican products in the U. S. shall be used for the benefit of the island.

Mr. Bryan came to Washington to seek some consolation from his followers in Congress for the frigid reception given him by the democrats of New York city and New Jersey last week. He allowed it to become known that he is very distrustful of Tammany, fearing that under the guise of friendship, the Croker men are preparing to attempt to betray him in the National Convention.

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THE Hague peace treaty, after being held up in the Senate for some time by Democratic opposition, has now passed that body and gone to the President. His signature will complete the treaty, it not being necessary to exchange ratifications as usual. He will simply inform the Government of Holland of what has been done and that country will inform the other powers. Within three months, however, the President must name not more than four persons to serve on the permanent board of arbitration established by the Hague convention. They will hold office for six years and may be reappointed. They must, of course, be jurists of the very highest repute.

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IT is unfortunate that the Finance Committee of the Senate should have allowed itself to be persuaded to report an amendment to the currency bill favoring the played out scheme of international bimetallism. Of course, we all understand that it was drawn to conciliate certain Senators with silver leanings, but it is obviously mere verbiage, not expected to come to anything. Its only effect will be to encourage foreigners to believe that the United States might possibly return to silver.

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THE Democratic steal in Kentucky is as outrageous as anything in the history of this country. But Americans do not like riots and if the Goebel law is to be repealed, it is probably better that Governor Taylor should yield. A new governor must be elected next fall in any case, and calmness on his part may win the state for the Republicans and law and order, while violence will certainly lose it.

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ABOUT 60 per cent. of all the agricultural products of the United States finds a market in Great Britain. One would naturally think that this would form a strong bond of sympathy between the two nations. Germany, which comes next in point of importance, buys only one fifth as much from us as England does.


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## TWO REMARKABLE CURES

### Of Two Prominent and Well Known People.

### A Catarrh Cure That Cures.

Miss Dade Stegeman, superintendent of the Chicago North Side Woman's Club, of Chicago, in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman speaks of Pe-ru-na as follows:

CHICAGO, Jan. 23, 1899.

Pe-ru-na Drug M'f'g Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—Pe-ru-na has often been used by the members of our club in cases of stomach trouble and general debility—also recently in cases of la grippe, and always with the most beneficiary results. I think a great deal of Pe-ru-na—often recommend it to my friends, and am glad to say all who have tried it speak a good word for it.

Dade Stegeman.

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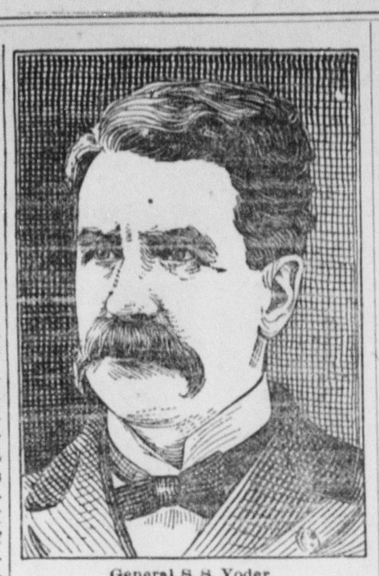
Pe-ru-na has become to be so universally recognized as a specific cure for catarrh, acute or chronic, coughs, colds bronchitis, that it is amazing that any one should continue to suffer on with such a terrible malady, neglecting to take a course of treatment with it. Of course it may be that some people have not yet come to know of this great catarrh remedy, but it is strange that it should be so after such multitudes have been cured by it and so many papers have heralded it from one end of the country to the other. But the news travels faster and faster every month, and no one can fail to see that the time is not far distant when Pe-ru-na will be known in every household in the land.



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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Pe-ru-na Drug M'f'g Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen—I desire to say that I have found Pe-ru-na to be a wonderful remedy. I only used it for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits. I cannot find words to express my gratification for the results obtained. As a catarrh cure I shall gladly recommend it to all sufferers. Yours truly,

S. S. Yoder.

Pe-ru-na not only cures catarrh, but prevents it. Every household should be supplied with this great remedy for coughs, colds and so forth. A free book on catarrhal diseases sent by Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

### MILLHEIM ITEMS.

W. C. Gephart, lost a valuable cow last week.

Frank Kern of Bellefonte visited his mother last Sunday.

Mrs. Sadie Watkins is visiting at Bellefonte for a few days.

C. E. Hauck, of Sunbury, interviewed the trade here one day last week.

W. S. Harer, candy salesman of Williamsport called on our merchants.

S. S. Brown and W. B. McNitt of Milroy were in town on last Wednesday.

Sheriff Brungard transacted business here last Thursday and took in the horse sale.

A. Kessler, the clothing man was in Philadelphia a few days last week, on business.

J. C. White, of Flushing, Ohio, registered at the National Hotel a few days last week.

D. J. Neiman has been visiting at Lock Haven and other places for the past week or more.

Many people attending the Teachers Local Institute held at Aaronsburg last Friday night and Saturday.

George Strausser of Juniata County is buying a car load of good horses, and high prices are paid for some.

Look out for a few more startling sensations in the near future. We will see what we see, and hear what we hear.

Bruce Garman of Bellefonte, one of the popular proprietors of the Garman House attended the horse sale on last Thursday.

Sanford D. Miller came up from Lewisburg on last Saturday to visit his parents on Main street. He returned on Monday.

John T. McCormick, manager of the Commercial Telephone Company, was in town looking after the interest of said company.

Jerry Snook, of Nittany Valley, a former citizen of this borough was here on a visit to his son, Ammon, on Main street, for a few days.

F. O. Hostermrn and S. G. Ulrich are buying up a car load of horses. All kinds of horses are taken, blind, lame, deaf and dumb fat and lean & etc.

Miss Mame Miller, one of the Bell Telephone operators of the Exchange, went to Bellefonte on last Saturday's afternoon train, to visit her friend over Sunday Miss Sallie Brungart. She returned on Monday morning.

The following prices rule the market here. Butter 20 to 27. Eggs 12, corn 35, wheat 68, oats 26, potatoes 40, apples 40 to 50, whiskey, with water, the old price and the Simon pure, in good demand at advanced prices, when available.

There was an immense crowd of people at the horse sale, notwithstanding the inclement weather, and there would have been many more if the weather had been favorable horses brought good prices the average being 112 dollars. The highest price paid was 163 dollars.

Alex. McCoy, of Patton township; Joel Reish of Cowan; A. F. Guyer of Vicksburg; A. C. Shaffer of Nittany; Joseph Hayes of Mackeyville; Isaac Lose of Bellefonte; Hiram Durst, of Centre Hall; W. A. Breth, of Altoona and C. W. Taylor of Clinton County were among the many that attended the horse sale.

The following persons bought horses at the horse sale last week, Viz.: M. M. Bower 1; W. T. Stover, 1; Henry Keen, 2; B. F. Stover, 1; D. C. Schrack, 1; James Metzger, 1; E. E. Doutz, 1; J. W. Bower, 2; Robert Breon, 1; Thomas Erdon, 1; W. E. Hosterman, 1; Suthes Bower, 1, S. H. Stover, 1, John Solt, 1; E. R. Pursley, 1; and Robert E. Harter, 1.

### LINDEN HALL ITEMS.

George Searson is the happy father of a young son.

Mrs. James Searson who has been very ill for some weeks is convalescing.

J. H. Ross shipped a car load of 40 cwt. of dressed pork on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. George Swabb, who has been unable to walk since last March, is again able to be around.

Chas. Dagle was again called to his home at Sunbury to attend the funeral of one of his uncles.

Mrs. Lemon, of Rock Springs, who was visiting at the home of F. E. Wieland, has returned home.

Harry Loneberger of this place is in attendance at the musical convention at Centre Hall this week.

Mrs. William Smeltzer, of Bellefonte, visited at the home of Henry Zeigler and family on Monday of last week.

A surprise birthday party was held in honor of David Snyder at his home on Willowbank street, on Saturday.

Miss Cora Brooks of this place who has been staying at Gilltown for several weeks taking care of her sick uncle was home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Frantz and niece Miss Helen Welch of Pine Grove Mills visited F. A. McClintic and family last Sunday.

Charles Rhoads had a taffy party at the home of his brother, Adam Rhoads, last Thursday night, which by all reports must have been a smasher.

A play party will be held at the home of Mr. Wash Garbrick on Wednesday evening of this week. Parties are certainly trump this season.

William Kern, whose home is in Ohio has gone to Pittsburg in company with James Lohr, where they have secured employment on a dairy farm.

J. A. Long bought the Henry Moyer property at Colyer, Pa., for $1200, and will have sale in a few weeks, after which he will move to his newly bought home.

The chicken and waffle supper given by the Ladies' Aid Society, of the United Evangelical church, on Saturday evening, was a grand success and the ladies deserve great credit for their work.

The Linden Hall Lumber Co. has purchased a tract of 400 acres, from Homan, which contains some very fine timber, about 100,000 props, 300 tons of bark and several hundred thousand feet of raw timber. They will also extend their railroad several miles.

Geo. H. Sheckler will lecture in the United Evangelical church at this place on Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. These lectures are given with stereopticon illustrations. Those who have heard these lectures before say they are worth more than double what they paid.

Irvin Zeigler of this place has been authorized by the Fleming *H.* Revell Co. to take orders for the life of D. L. Moody. This is the only work prepared in direct compliance with the expressed wish of Mr. Moody and the only work that is authorized by the Moody family. It was written by W. R. Moody the elder son of D. L. Moody.

William Felding, the Linden Hall scribe for the *Centre Democrat*, will give up his present employment, that of selling the Memorial Volume of the life of D. L. Moody and will go to Tioga Co., to work in a shop for $18 per month. Mr. Felding says he can make $6.20 per day selling books but he would rather work in some establishment and he also wishes to quit the agency because he does not have the authorized life of Moody and therefore can not sell to well informed people.

Dr. Kidder, of Boalsburg, who is kept very busy all the time and sometimes gets no sleep for two or three nights had an experience last Sunday which he will not soon forget. He had driven his fine mare—valued at $300, one of the finest travelers in the country—very hard for some days and on Sunday while he was making his professional calls she took a spell which the doctor at first thought was a fit but which he afterward attributed to hard driving. The animal became unmanageable and ran into a wire fence. By the aid of Mr. Ezra Tressler he succeeded in getting her to a nearby stable, but not before both were thoroughly soaked with rain.

### AARONSBURG ITEMS.

Mrs. W. B. Bitner and son Blane, of Spring Mills are visiting friends in this place this week.

Prof A. S. Stover has organized a singing class in this place. Some forty pupils are in attendance.

Miss Katie Frank, of North 2nd street, returned from a several weeks visit, to friends in Union Co.

C. C. Bell and wife, of Huntingdon, Pa. are visiting at the residence of T. F. Hull on North 2nd street.

Mrs. L. L. Leitzel, of Shamokin, Pa., is paying a visit to her aged mother, Mrs. Anna Stambach of this place.

Rev. E. H. Gerhart, Lutheran minister of this place, paid a short visit to his family at Philadelphia last week.

Mrs. Iry wife of Rev. Iry of Warren Pa. is visiting at the residence of her brother Dr. C. S. Musser of this place.

I. H. Harter and wife of Bellefonte paid a short visit to the gentlemans aged mother, Mrs. Rebecca Harter, last week.

James L. Ettinger, of the Lewisburg Chronicle, paid an over last Sabbath visit to his family in this place. He returned to his place of work on last Monday afternoon.

The Teachers Local Institute held in the Reformed Church in this place on last Friday and Saturday was well attended, D. F. Fortney Esq. of Bellefonte lectured to a full house on Friday evening. One can well see that Mr. Fortney is heart and hand in the cause of Education. Co. Supt. C. L. Gramley, who presided over the meetings, also delivered an excellent address during the evening. The teachers generally took an active part in the different discussions of the institute, the singing was excellent Prof. L. E. Boob presided at the organ. In the name of the citizens of Aaronsburg we say come again.

### REBERSBURG RUMBLINGS.

Mrs. Joseph Miller is now also on the sick list, being confined to her bed.

The United Evangelicals have started protracted meeting in our town.

G. W. Kreamer's personal property will be sold at Sheriff's sale on Friday.

C. E. Long, our enterprising butcher, is making some marked improvements in his butcher house.

Our teachers attended local institute at Aaronsburg on Friday evening and Saturday, reporting a fine institute.

Our foundry is running hard at present. This makes it more business like in our town.

H. E. Corman is at present in Union County practicing phrenology.

### Work of the Salvation Army.

New York, Feb. 14.—The Salvation Army celebrated the twentieth anniversary of its establishment in the United States in Carnegie Hall last night. William, the infant son of Commander and Consul Booth Tucker, was publicly dedicated to God and the army. In an address Commander Booth Tucker said: "In the last 20 years the number of persons attending our sessions in America who have knelt at the penitent bench has been 500,000. We have given 1,315,000 meals to the starving poor, and in the next 20 years we will give 26,000,000 meals. The three farm colonies, started at a cost of $60,000, are a success, and had we $500,000 we would start more like them. We have secured work for 56,000 people, and we will get employment for 300,000 in the 20 years to come."

### Iowa's Woman Suffrage Bill.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 14.—The house committee on suffrage yesterday reported without opposition the resolution looking to a constitutional amendment to admit women to vote on the same terms as men. The suffragists claim they will pass it in the house, but are not so confident of the senate.

### A Blizzard in England.

London, Feb. 14.—The storm that came up yesterday developed into a blizzard. It is intensely cold in London, and reports of severe weather are coming in from all parts of the United Kingdom. Telegraphic communication last evening was seriously interrupted.

### Successful Postoffice Robbers.

Richmond, Feb. 14.—Early in the morning burglars blew open the safe in the postoffice at Windsor, Isle of Wight county, and secured $85 in cash and over a thousand postage stamps. They were chased and fired at, but escaped.

### The Kentucky Cheating.

Whatever shape events in Kentucky may take the people of the United States will not lose sight of the main point. This is the Democratic attempt to subvert the will of voters as fully declared at the polls: The successive stages of the conspiracy are clearly developed. First, a majority of Democrats was placed on each election board, county and state. They managed the polls and returns in their own way. But the Republican plurality was too large to be destroyed. Taylor was inaugurated and then the plot went forward in the Legislature. Members were turned out to make room for fresh conspirators. The boards of contest, alleged to be drawn by lot, were somehow made Democratic by ten to one. During the excitement attending a mysterious murder the boards of contest suddenly shut out the defense, and a fragment of the Legislature decreed who should be Governor, going through the operation twice, because, in their haste, they had overlooked not only the constitution of the state, but the infamous Goebel law itself.

The conspirators against the dearest rights of an American freeman should halt instantly. Let there be no tricks by a piece of a Legislature to go on with the scheme to put in the Governor's office a man who received at the polls a minority of votes. Whatever a legislative junta may do, the fact remains that an American citizen has a right to cast one vote and have it honestly counted when this right is struck down and the citizen submits to the black crime, the supremacy of the people is at an end. Assassins of American liberty will find that the Constitution of the United States guarantees to each state a republican form of government. Against this final barrier the elaborately contrived Goebel law to cheat the will of the people will be dashed aside, and when the ballot is respected in Kentucky the dark threat of civil war will disappear. X

### LIVE STOCK STATISTICS.

#### Agricultural Department Gives Figures of Interest to Farmers.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Mr. John Hyde, the statistician of the department of agriculture, issues a bulletin showing that on Jan. 1 there were on the farms of the United States 13,537,524 horses, 2,086,027 mules, 16,292,360 milch cows, 27,610,054 other cattle, excluding swine, and 41,883,065 sheep. This is a decrease of 127,783 in the number of horses, of 48,186 in mules and 384,171 in cattle other than milch cows. It is an increase of 302,245 in the number of milch cows and 2,769,612 in sheep. There has been an increase in value during the year averaging $7.21 per head in horses, $8.60 per head in mules, $1.94 per head in milch cows, $2.18 per head in other cattle, and 18 cents per head in sheep. This represents a total increase in value during the year of nearly $216,000,000, exclusive of a manifestly considerable increase in the value of swine. The total increase in the value of the farm animals of the United States during the last three years exceeds $570,000,000. Farm horses have increased in value $151,000,000, mules $19,000,000, milch cows $146,000,000, other cattle $181,000,000, sheep $56,000,000, swine about $20,000,000.

### Mrs. Craven's Latest Suit.

San Francisco, Feb. 14.—A sensation was created yesterday by the testimony of Mrs. Nettie R. Craven in a suit against the estate of the late Samuel Fair for $5,000 a month widow's allowance since the death of the senator. Mrs. Craven testified that she and Senator Fair were married by contract in June, 1892, and that one month later, at the request of her daughter, Margaret, Senator Fair and Mrs. Craven were married by Justice of the Peace Simpton, of Sausalito. Judge Simpton is living, and will be called upon to substantiate Mrs. Craven's statement. The testimony of Mrs. Craven in this particular was totally unlooked for.

### Langtry's Successful "Concert."

New York, Feb. 14.—Society and the stage, represented by women of wealth and beauty, crowded the ball room at Sherry's yesterday afternoon, patronizing the "concert" arranged by Mrs. Langtry to raise funds for the American hospital ship Maine, now in South Africa. Although young women did not sell cocktails and other refreshments at the "American bar," as had been expected, there was a big crush, and a large sum of money was realized. Instead of young women, the Earl of Yarmouth and several professional bartenders served liquors at 50 cents a drink. Something over $6,000 was taken in, even programs selling at $2 each.

### Killed With a Hammer.

Philadelphia, Feb. 14.—Angered by constant taunting by his fellow workman at the Pencoyd iron works, Philip Kunz, aged 35 years, yesterday struck Pierce W. Cope, aged 42, on the head with an eight pound hammer, the blow resulting in the death of Cope. Kunz was locked up charged with murder. The men worked together in the hammer shop. Cope accused Kunz of shirking work, which the latter denied, and the fatal altercation followed.

## MACHINE ELECTION FRAUDS EXPOSED.

### Corruption by the Wholesale in the Attempted Purchase of Tax Receipts.

### ROUNDING UP THE GUILTY.

**Three Machine Retainers Sent to the Penitentiary For Ballot Box Stuffing—Another Under Bail For Forging a List of Names For Poll Tax Receipts—Newspapers Aroused by the Monstrous Frauds in Philadelphia.**

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Harrisburg, Feb. 13.—The miscreants who have for years been disgracing the Republican party in Pennsylvania by perpetrating election frauds in Philadel in the interest of the Quay machine are being brought to book. Samuel R. Markley, Joseph Hogan and Frank Taylor were sentenced on Saturday to two years' imprisonment in the Eastern penitentiary for frauds perpetrated at the last November election. These men were election officers in the Twelfth division of the Fifth ward, and were recently convicted of stuffing the ballot box and making fraudulent returns of the votes cast. This division is controlled by James B. Anderson, one of the machine leaders in the southern section of the city, which has become notorious for its election frauds.

This is only one of the many frauds that has been exposed since last November, when the corruption in the Seventh ward was brought to light and Deputy Coroner Salter and a half dozen other machine retainers were forced to flee to escape the punishment inflicted upon Markley and his associates. Salter and his accomplices are still fugitives from justice, and their bondsmen are now trying to escape payment of the amount of their bonds through an alleged flaw in the law.

New records of the startling frauds perpetrated by the machine in compiling the lists of names for the purchase of poll tax receipts have just been unearthed by an honest official, William J. Roney, receiver of taxes. Mr. Roney is a lifelong Republican, an old soldier and a former member of the legislature, and his only motive in exposing the poll tax fraud is that the party may be purged of the men who are bringing it into disgrace. A careful canvass by Mr. Roney of five of the machine strongholds proves that the lists were rotten to the core, that in many election divisions the names and signatures were all fictitious or forged. The lists as they were submitted to the receiver of taxes by the Republican city committee bore palpable evidence of wholesale padding, forgery and perjury. Seven-eighths of the 20,427 names were stricken off by Mr. Roney and his clerks because the signatures were glaringly false. Only 2,557 tax receipts have been issued to the city committee, and Mr. Roney's investigation shows that even of this small number of supposedly genuine names and signatures fully 80 per cent are bogus. The investigation also shows that in the machine strongholds even stables and sheds unfit for habitation are registered as homes of men who live only in the minds of the plotters whose scheme to make 20,000 repeaters has been blocked by an honest official. Every machine henchman who forged signatures and perjured himself by attesting the correctness of the lists is liable to punishment under the law. Charles R. Jones, chairman of the Prohibition state committee, is having the lists examined with a view of bringing the guilty parties to justice. He has already arrested Frank Redman, a machine worker of the Fourth ward, on a warrant charging him with conspiracy with others unknown in improperly causing a poll tax to be paid. Redman has been held in $500 bail for trial at court. He made up the list of alleged signatures in the division in which he lives, and every name on the list was rejected by the receiver of taxes as a forgery. The exposure of these monstrous frauds has so aroused the newspapers over the state that it bodes ill to the machine. The Harrisburg Star-Independent, the leading independent newspaper in central Pennsylvania, says:

"The utter contempt in which the law and the courts are held by the ballot polluters in Philadelphia is shown in some form every day. To instance, while the Fifth ward cases were on trial recently, with the certainty of conviction before them, the agents of the machine in all other parts of the city were busy padding the lists of voters in order that the crimes might be repeated at the coming election. Even after the conviction there was no halt in the proceedings. The attempt to get tax receipts by fraudulent methods to use for fraudulent voting was in progress while the verdict of the jury was being presented to the court."

The Philadelphia North American (Rep.) says:

"The poll tax fraud recently revealed is another humiliating and suggestive exhibition of the criminal methods resorted to by the Republican machine in this city to debauch the elections and defeat the popular will. Its suggestiveness lies not so much in the fact of the disclosure of the reckless lawlessness of the machine as the variety and ingenuity of its methods. That the dominant political organization is simply and primarily an association banded together for the promotion of crime is too well known and has been judicially and notoriously so well established that no surprise would be felt at any exhibition it might make of defiant iniquity; but the facility with which upon discovery of its criminal practices in one direction it adjusts itself to the necessity for new forms of crime to carry out its illegitimate purposes is alarmingly suggestive."

The Philadelphia Press (Rep.) says:

"The act of 1897 makes it necessary that a person who offers to pay the poll tax of any citizen shall present a written order signed by the person whose tax he seeks to pay. A verbal request is not sufficient. The authority must be written and signed. Without such authority the payment is unlawful and is punishable by fine or imprisonment, in the discretion of the court. Before this business is ended the ward bosses and division workers, who have so long been in a conspiracy to defraud the people by means of election crimes, will know a few things about the law that will be useful to them, though it would have been to their advantage had they found out sooner."

The Pittsburg Times, owned and controlled by Senator C. L. Magee, says:

"The action of William J. Roney, receiver of taxes of Philadelphia, in refusing to issue many thousands of tax receipts to the city Republican committee for persons whose requests as presented to him were evidently forgeries, is to be heartily commended by every good citizen. It looks very much as though gross frauds similar to those which were perpetrated last fall in Philadelphia have been contemplated for the coming municipal election in that city. Mr. Roney's action is calculated to greatly assist in their prevention. Frauds upon the ballot have exactly the same moral and legal turpitude when committed by Republicans in Pennsylvania as when perpetrated by Democrats in Kentucky, and good patriotic citizens everywhere will rejoice when those who attempt or commit them are foiled in their efforts or brought to justice."

### Postoffice Robber Caught in the Act.

Nanticoke, Pa., Feb. 14.—Charles Moran, alias Reed, said to be a noted crook from Philadelphia, broke into the postoffice here early in the morning and was about to blow open the safe when he arrested by two night watchmen, who had been watching his movements. United States Commissioner Hahn, at Wilkesbarre, committed him to jail in default of $2,000 bail.

### Delaware's Republican Conventions.

Wilmington, Del., Feb. 14.—The Union Republican (Addicks) state committee yesterday called a state convention for Feb. 27 to elect six delegates to the national convention, the same date previously chosen by the Regular Republicans. At present it seems that both factions will send delegates to contest for seats in the national convention.


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## *Legal Advertisements.*

### NOTICE

Is hereby given that the following ordinance will be presented to the Town Council of the Borough of Bellefonte in their usual place of meeting at 8 p. m., February 19, A. D. 1900 for their adoption. Parties interested will be heard

To open for public use, an Alley in the Borough of Bellefonte from High street to Bishop street, South of the Union cemetery.

Whereas, the Borough of Bellefonte has bought from Mrs. Thersie I. McClure, a piece of ground in liquidation of damages, as follows: Beginning at corner lot of Henry Taylor, thence North 9 degrees 35 minutes West 11 feet to Cherry Alley, thence along said Alley North 80 degrees 55 minutes East 15-5 feet to corner lot of Joe Beezer, thence along said lot of Joe Beezer South 9 degrees, 35 minutes East 221 feet to North side of Bishop street, thence along said street South 80 degrees 55 minutes, West 15-5 feet to the place of beginning.

Also, a second tract beginning at corner of lot of F. W. Crider on North side of Cherry Alley, thence along said lot North 10 degrees 15 minutes West 115 5 feet to South side of High street, thence along said High street North 80 degrees 55 minutes East 18-5 feet to corner lot of Thersie I. McClure, thence along said lot South 9 degrees 35 minutes East 115 5 feet to Cherry Alley, thence along said Alley 80 degrees 55 minutes West 18 feet to the place of beginning.

Now, therefore, Be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Borough of Bellefonte in Council Assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that from and after the passing of this ordinance, all that certain piece of ground herein above described and commencing at Bishop street, between the properties of Henry Taylor and Joe Beezer, and extending North 9 degrees 35 minutes, West to High street between the lots of F. W. Crider and Thersie I. McClure, on High street, shall be a public alley for the use of said Borough and its citizens and shall be known as Sheffer Alley.

H. B. PONTIUS,
w 2t. Clerk of Council.

### *Sale Register.*

All persons having their Sale bills printed at the Bellefonte Republican Office will have a notice of their sale inserted in our sale register until date of sale free of charge with good sale notes free. Those who do not have their bills printed at this office will be charged 50 cents for the notice, and 10 cents per dozen for the notes.

SATURDAY MARCH 10, Jacob Shank will sell horses, cattle, hog, wagons and good farm implements ¼ mile north of Jacksonville Sale to begin at 10 o'clock sharp David Wensel, Auctioneer.

# THE DEPUTY GROOM

BY T. C. DE LEON.

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No daughter of the gods was Sis Bowen.

Not tall, divinely or otherwise, she was far from fair, her nose "tip tilted" more or less—"like the petal of a flower." But good hearted jollity radiated through tan and freckles on her piquant face, and her plump tidiness of form covered a true and loyal heart—not wholly her own. In so far as she could coerce anatomy Sis had given it to Jack Dawson in that fairest of exchanges which proves the proverb about no robbery, and since the days of Sunday school picnics Jack had been the rival of Sis' shadow. He had early hoarded his nickels for soda water and mint sticks. Later he had hoarded his dimes for the rarer luxury of a buggy or a sail on the lake, but latest practical Miss Bowen had forbidden all frivolities, and now they were hoarded with the tenacity of an Isaac of York and regularly deposited in bank.

Yet the course of true love in their case had not belied another proverb. Jack was a good fellow and handy, and he had no fear of work when he could get it, but no regular "sit" had come to him spite of steady effort and many friends. So common sense swayed the devoted pair, and hope deferred produced no sickness of heart until a fixed income seemed assured.

"It's better for him to starve alone," Sis was wont to philosophize to close friends, "than to starve two, and dad's willing to keep me awhile till Jack looks around."

But at last that true lover's vision was rewarded with the coveted "sit." His friend was made sheriff, and Deputy Jack Dawson was duly installed. Not a bonanza, the place promised a steady living. The day was fixed, and the hurly burly of even the simplest trousseau's construction upturned the Bowen household.

All was ready on the 1st of that month, on the third noon of which Miss Bowen would become Mrs. Dawson, but on that very morning Jack turned up with a rueful face. A man adjudged insane was to go to the state asylum. The deputy detailed had been suddenly taken ill, and only Jack was left for that unsentimental duty. It was all right, the sheriff had assured him, only a night trip up, a day trip home, and he would be back in ample time to settle his nerves, shave and don his new suit for the event of his life.

So with return ticket and all other papers safe in his inside pocket Jack bade a tender adieu to his ladylove, mounted his cab and picked up the "softy." And a mild, pleasant gentleman the madman seemed, objecting to no suggestion, but conversing rationally on every possible subject.

"I am perfectly willing to go with you, Mr. Deputy," he said as Jack rather awkwardly broached the subject. "It is an error in judgment of doctors and court, but the best of us make errors. I will be back within a week, I assure you. So why give needless trouble?"

A sleeper was, of course, out of the question. So the pair boarded the day coach and bumped along—the mad gentleman on the inside seat and Jack next the aisle. The conductor chanced to be an old friend. So honest Jack stood much pleasant chaff on the approaching event. The mad prisoner was most sympathetic and profuse in regrets at taking the groom away at such a time.

"There are occasions that can come but once in a lifetime," he said blandly. "I should never forgive myself were I the innocent cause of a moment's uneasiness to the lady. But be assured, sir, there cannot—there shall not—be the least delay in the ceremony."

Then the mad Chesterfield drifted into talk on every known theme, from politics to literature, art to yellow fever, and even upon the varied forms of mania. With brave effort Jack tried to listen, but his mind was far away, and a brown, sweet face would rise before his eyes. As he later expressed it, he "just sprained his politeness" to listen, but his replies dropped into irrelevant monosyllables, and presently a decided snore told that his honest soul had passed the portals of the world of sleep. His companion was wide awake. Bright eyed, but quiet, he went on talking to himself inaudibly, for his lips moved ceaselessly.

Suddenly Jack sat bolt upright—a grinding jar, a shock and shiver of the flying train, then a dead stand, with men running to the front, too rapidly for replies. He dared not leave his charge, but waited anxiously. Presently it was known that the engine had run into the rear of a "wild" train, smashing a car, damaging its own nose and tearing up one track for yards. The delay would last for hours, probably until the next up train. Lightning calculation made Jack's blood run chill. That delay would bring him to the asylum town only 30 minutes before the down train left. If he caught that down train, he could reach home at 11:30 on the 3d; miss it, and he would not attend his own wedding at sharp noon. Quick consultation with the friendly conductor reassured him. A telegram to the asylum doctor, a tip to the cabman, and he would have ample time. In his outside pocket was what Miss Bowen called "a self directed envelope," thoughtfully provided by that practical young person, ready stamped. Hastily Jack wrote:

DARLING SIS—A little wreck ahead delays us. Have everything ready, and tell Bud Hutchings to meet me at the train Wednesday 11:40 sharp. You all go to the church, just as if I was at home. I will be on hand, sure as I live. Will telegraph from there soon as I land him. Don't worry, darling. I'll be on time sure. Your own only JACK.

This missive was given the conductor of the down train, and it sped to the bride elect over the untouched track. And again Jack slept the sleep of peace, lulled thereto by even more profuse regrets of the mad Chesterfield.

At noon next day the delayed train pulled into the asylum town. Jack and his charge jumped into a cab, and the driver startled his old horse by an unknown demand for speed. They drove into the asylum grounds in a short time, alighted, and the polite madman even preceded the deputy and greeted the doctor with grave courtesy.

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Wedding morning was a busy one in Sis Bowen's household, but Jack's reassuring "self directed" missive lay upon the bridal veil draping her bed. Presently a messenger cycled up with a telegram. It read:

Proceed with the nuptial ceremony. Groom is on the train.

Sis Bowen laughed with joy, almost hysterical. There would be no delay.

"Poor, dear boy!" she cried. "What big words he does use! Lor', he must be rattled!" she added as the boy asked pay for the message. She gave it cheerfully and told him to keep the change.

Dressed and draped, she heard the scream of the incoming train, knew that Bud Hutchings was there to meet it and donned her orange wreath.

The church was packed when the town clock struck 12. Bride and groom were both popular with their own set, and the throng of prominent men included the judge and the sheriff. Prompt to the stroke the organ sounded the wedding march. The bridal party drove up, and a runner flew to the vestry. The regular pastor was on a vacation, but his substitute sent word that the groom was with him and all was ready. The organ pealed more joyously, the bridesmaids entered the aisle and the bride had reached the portal. The new minister walked from the vestry room, followed by a bland and elegant stranger! The bride advanced with downcast eyes. At the chancel rail she raised them and recoiled with one wild scream. At that instant a messenger handed a telegram to the judge, and simultaneously the best man rushed into the sacred edifice, breathless, hatless and screaming:

"Jack was not on the train! Who's that?"

He pointed at the supposed groom, who bowed blandly and answered:

"There are occasions that can come but once in a lifetime. I should never forgive myself for the least delay in the ceremony. I am ready."

As he spoke the sheriff moved softly to his side, whispering:

"Just come into the vestry with me one moment."

At the same instant the judge raised his hand for silence and read this telegram:

For heaven's sake, wire Dr. —— that I am not crazy! The prisoner stole papers while I slept; told them I was mad with belief I was a deputy. I am locked up. He has escaped with my warrant and tickets. Hurry, for the Lord's sake! JACK DAWSON.

The wedding came off a week later, but thereafter the new deputy never closed one eye with a crazy Chesterfield in charge.

"JACK WAS NOT ON THE TRAIN! WHO'S THAT?"

### Daring Deeds of Modern Surgery.

In a recent address before a London medical association Dr. L. A. Weatherly, a prominent physician, said that if a surgeon of 60 years ago could wake from his everlasting sleep in this world and find himself in one of the modern operating theaters of a medical institution he would rub his eyes and stare with utter amazement at the daring deeds of the modern surgeon; that "he would see the patient brought in already unconscious of what was about to be done; he would note the scrupulous cleanliness which antiseptic surgery has taught us in all the surroundings of the room, the appliances of the operating surgeon and his assistant; he would perhaps see the abdomen opened and its contents handled with the most perfect confidence, and this or that operation, never dreamed of in his day as being even possible without instant death, brought to a successful termination. And wonderment would be justifiable."

Dr. Weatherly thought the fault with the modern young operator in surgery was that he was a little too prone to use his knife as a means of diagnosis without giving his powers of observation a chance to arrive at a right conclusion.

### Absentminded.

"A well known professional man," says the Philadelphia Record, "who is noted among his friends for his absentmindedness, thought he had reached the height of absurdity when he was forced to ask his wife his first name a short time ago in order to answer properly a question asked by the assessor of his district. His memory, however, played him an even worse trick the other day, and the joke was so good that he told it on himself.

"He was writing a letter in the postoffice corridor one evening when a seedy looking person came up with a hard luck story. The writer paused long enough to tell the beggar that he had nothing for him and requested him to go away. The fellow persisted and again poured forth his woeful story. A watchman finally chased the beggar away, and the absentminded writer started to read what he had written. Great was his surprise when he found that he had transcribed word for word part of the hard luck tale that had been poured into his unwilling ears."

### Out of the Depths.

In the deeps of the human heart are good and evil. Let us put in all the good we can, and put it deep, as deep as we can. The roiling of this fountain may send out a very foul stream because it is from a very foul deep, or it may send out a stream of pure, sweet waters because the fountain is clean. Some weeks ago I sat near two young men, college students, who in the freedom of the place talked, I suppose, as they would have done in their own room. Their talk was only blackguardism, profanity and slang. The sweetest name, the purest thing, to them were nothing but interjections and bywords. If during their school days thoughts sweet and strong and good, in the language of the masters of prose and poetry, had been imbedded in the deeps of their being, could they be so coarse, degraded and brutal in thought and language now? Could this mental and spiritual filth and abomination be the outcome of such early culture of the taste and the memory?—J. P. McCoskey in Pennsylvania School Journal.

### Lord Salisbury on Beauty.

Look at our dress. I do not mean our dress. I mean everybody's dress, for that matter. The ugliest dress which the English gentleman has ever worn has lasted for 50 years without a change. But I refer rather to the other sex, in whom we had some hope that the cult of beauty lingered still, but whether we go to those who may be called, in a literal sense, "fast"—I mean those who cultivate the bicycle—there you will see the sense of beauty is surely displaced. My belief is that if there was any Dante to write an artistic "Inferno" its lowest circle would be tenanted by the ladies who dress themselves in the bicycle skirt or knickerbockers.—London Times.

### Jabbing the Old Man.

"Pa," said little Tommy Figg, "I heard Mr. Watts say that great men's sons never did any good. I ain't a great man's son, am I?"

Up to the time of going to press Mr Figg's mind had not found a sufficiently diplomatic answer.—Tit-Bits.

# JASPER BRIGGS' WOOING.

BY THOMAS P. MONTFORT.

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Jasper Briggs was a bachelor. He was also one of the most diffident men you ever saw, and especially so in the presence of women. It was to this same diffidence that Jasper's bachelorhood could be ascribed. Up to the age of 40 years he had never gone courting. He had never even so much as kept company with one of the opposite sex. He shunned the society of women whenever it was possible—not that he disliked them, but that he feared them. Yet in his younger days Jasper had fallen deeply in love. Rose Jackson, a beautiful neighbor girl, was the object of his adoration, and he did adore her. His love was silent; but, like still water, it was deep. He might have won Rose if he had wooed her, but he let the chance slip. While he stood off and admired her at a distance George Clark set siege to her heart and in time gained her affections. She became Clark's wife.

For 15 years Jasper and the Clarks lived neighbors, and never did neighbors get along better. Jasper and Clark were the closest of friends. If Jasper still loved Rose, he kept the fact well disguised, for no one suspected it. At the end of 15 years of married life Clark died. Rose was quite alone in the world, with no one to look after her business affairs. Jasper understood the situation and proposed to take charge of her farm and manage it for her. She was very glad to have him do so, for she trusted him implicitly. Of course this arrangement threw Jasper and Rose together a great deal. Jasper was at Rose's house often, and frequently she found it necessary to consult him on matters of business. They got along together in a most splendid manner, agreed well on everything and were the best of friends. The neighbors predicted that Jasper and the widow would marry when she had got over her grief for Clark. It seemed the most natural thing in the world that they should marry.

Yet two years passed, and if Jasper entertained a thought of making Rose his wife he never gave that thought life. He continued on in the even tenor of his way, never so much as hinting at such a thing as matrimony and never addressing her save in the respectful terms of friendship or the cold, formal terms of business. Nevertheless Jasper was in love with the widow. To one person that fact was apparent, and that one person was the widow herself. A woman always knows if a man loves her, if she is with him much, no matter how closely he guards his feelings. Women have a great deal keener perception than men when it comes to affairs of love. Rose read Jasper's heart like an open book, and she did not disapprove of his loving her. Why should she when she loved him? She quite approved of his love and was ready to marry him any day. She waited with becoming modesty for Jasper to speak, but the days ran into weeks and the weeks into months, and he did not venture to utter a word of love. Then she began to grow impatient. It is not the nature of woman to be satisfied with loving and being loved in silence. She wants the lips to speak the fullness of the heart. She deviated a little from her strict ideas of womanly modesty so far as to offer him a morsel of encouragement. She addressed him with unusual tenderness—in tones that breathed of love. She gave him looks that were eloquent with love—languishing, soulful glances that were capable of melting a heart of stone. She smiled on him. And such smiles! They were ravishing, enchanting, bewitching.

All these things had their effect on Jasper. He observed, and he understood, and his heart bounded, his blood ran riot, and his form trembled. He was next door to heaven, plainly invited to enter, longed to do so, but hadn't the power to move a foot. With all Rose's encouragement he could not advance an inch toward matrimony. For a few days the widow kept up this game. Then, seeing that nothing was likely to come of it, she reversed her conduct. She became testy and cross with Jasper. She avoided him, had but little to say to him and never smiled on him. For the first time since she became a widow she found fault with his method of doing things. She became heartlessly cruel in her criticisms of his ideas and actions.

Poor Jasper was astonished. He did not know enough of woman's nature to understand her motive. It never once occurred to him that she was trying to tease and fret him into declaring his love. He believed her in earnest, and with one drop he went from heaven to the opposite extreme.

"I have sinned away my day of grace," he thought. "She did love me, but I waited too long, and now she hates me. I have lost her again."

One day an old widower called on Rose. He remained two or three hours, and, though he did not say just as much, he gave her to understand that the object of his visit was matrimony. Rose's first impulse was to discourage him right in the beginning, but on second thought she decided not to do so. It occurred to her that he might be made to answer a good purpose.

Philander Johnson, the widower aforesaid, possessed none of Jasper Briggs' diffidence. He could speak his thoughts without any trouble. At his second visit to Rose he made his purpose quite explicit. At his third visit he asked her to marry him. She was startled and surprised, of course, and immediately began to fence with the question.

"I don't know what answer to give you," she said. "You must let me have time to think over the matter. In three days you shall have an answer."

Johnson rose to go. "I suppose you know what I have to offer you, Mrs. Clark? I am not altogether poor. I own one of the best farms in this section of the country. I have plenty of stock and a few thousands of dollars out on interest." Then he went out chuckling to himself, satisfied in his own mind that he had said enough to win any woman's heart. He made no mention of love, for such trifles as that were entirely too far beneath his thought.

That same evening Jasper called on Rose to consult her about the sale of some cows. "Perhaps as I am to be married so soon I had better wait," she said.

She blushed as beautifully as a girl and was terribly confused.

"Married!" he gasped.

"Yes," she replied, with due hesitation. "Philander Johnson has asked me to marry him, and I rather think I'd better do it."

"Philander Johnson!" Jasper gasped again.

"Yes. He's quite wealthy, you know. He owns a fine farm and has money loaned out and all that. Then, you see, I am imposing on you by having you look after my business, and you know that isn't right. I can't afford to hire anybody, so all I can do is to marry. I suppose Mr. Johnson will make a good husband."

"He's an old beast!"

"Oh, dear! Is he?"

"Yes. But you love him."

"Oh, no, I don't, Jasper! I don't love him a particle."

"Why do you marry him, then?"

"Because he's the only man who will have me."

"He ain't, neither."

"Anyhow he's the only one who thinks enough of me to ask me to marry him."

"No, he ain't."

"Why, Jasper, what makes you talk that way?" she cried, in well feigned astonishment.

"Because it's so," he replied.

"How do you know what men think of me?"

"HE LOVES YOU."

"I know what one thinks."

"You do? What does he think, Jasper?"

"He loves you."

"Oh, dear!" and she hid her blushing face in her hands, but peeped at Jasper with one very bright eye.

"Are you really in earnest, Jasper?"

"Yes, I am."

She waited a moment, then with perfect innocence asked:

"Who is the man who has been so foolish as to love me?"

"Me," Jasper answered boldly.

She affected breathless surprise and looked at him incredulously, as though she could not believe that he was really in earnest.

"Oh, Jasper!" she cried at last, a little above a whisper. "Are you really and truly in earnest?"

"I am," he answered.

She waited a long time for him to lead on and declare himself more fully, but she waited in vain. He had shut up, and he could not get started again. She saw that the matter was likely to stop there unless she took the initiative and pushed along. "Jasper," she said seriously, "I can scarcely believe that you mean what you say."

"I do, though," he said.

"You like me very well as a friend, I know, but I think you don't quite—that is, you—I"—

"I love you."

"Not like a man loves a woman he wants to marry, though."

"Yes, I do, too."

"No, you don't, Jasper, because if you did you'd want to marry me. Oh, dear! What am I saying?" And she looked around wonderfully startled.

"I do want to marry you," he replied in a matter of fact way.

She laughed as though she did not for an instant believe him serious.

"Oh, Jasper," she cried, "you should not jest like that! It is wrong."

"Me jest!" he exclaimed.

"Yes; you are jesting, aren't you?"

"Never."

"And you really want to marry me, Jasper?"

"I do, sure."

She drew a long, heavenly sigh and laid her hand in his.

"Well I cannot find the heart to say 'No' to you, Jasper," she said, "after all you've done for me. You have been my best friend, and I owe you a debt of gratitude."

Jasper was unable to express himself in fitting language, but he knew how to open his arms and draw her to his bosom and hold her in a close embrace while he gave her one long, lingering kiss.

"You won't marry Johnson, will you?" he asked.

"Of course not," she replied. "I never intended to do anything so absurd. There is just one man on earth I'd ever marry, and that is you."

So at last Jasper Briggs got a wife, but it was never clear to him just how it came about. He could never tell for the life of him whether he proposed or whether Rose did, but of one thing he was sure and that was that Rose made it easy for him to say what was necessary, and he loved her all the more for it.

### Bank of England Court.

The Bank of England contains what still continues to be a surprise to visitors. After passing through the first quadrangle, which is small and gloomy and paved with flagstones, one proceeds through an archway into a courtyard which for beauty would be difficult to match anywhere. It is practically a garden—peaceful, shady and secluded as any in England—in which is breathed an air of old world poetry. Venerable trees cast long, cool shadows across the brilliant turf. Through their thick foliage one catches glimpses of the somber Corinthian pillars on the opposite side, lighted with the last lingering rays of the setting sun and forming a background to a row of flowerpots brilliant with geranium and sunflower. In the center is an old stone fountain, throwing up a languid jet of water, which splashes lazily in the basin with a sweet, dreamy sound.

### The Human Brain.

Some of the more advanced of the physiologists now claim that the back lobes of the brain are the seat of the highest intellectual faculties, a theory which is in direct opposition to that of the phrenologists and to popular opinion as well, the latter being that a high forehead is a proof of superior intelligence. To the large hind head has been attributed an unusual degree of animalism. Dr. C. Clapham, an anthropologist of high repute throughout Europe, has given arguments in favor of the posterior lobes in a recently published paper which shows that man, of all creatures, has the most highly developed posterior lobes, and that the ablest men and races have them in the highest perfection. Idiots and confirmed lunatics, according to his investigations, have these imperfectly developed or in a very bad state.

### Lincoln's Twofold Strength.

While President Lincoln was inspecting Fortress Monroe and the army officers were explaining to him the wonders of the various implements of war he stumbled over an ax.

Picking it up, he held it by the end of the helve straight out before him and said: "Here is an instrument of destruction that I need no introduction to. Can any of you do that?"

Another story is that he was so strong that he could lift a barrel of whisky from the ground and raise it to the level of his lips and drink out of the bunghole, but—he was so strong that he would not allow a drop of the drink to touch his lips.—Youth's Companion.

### Pessimism.

"I've learned," said Weary Watkins sadly, "that the worse cook a woman is the more likelier they is to be some cold victuals left."—Indianapolis Journal.

# BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN--Supplement.

BELLEFONTE, CENTRE COUNTY, PA., THURSDAY, FEB. 15, 1900.


# Receipts and Expenditures

OF

# CENTRE COUNTY

FOR 1899.

## TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

Harrison Kline, Treasurer, in Account With Centre County.

| Dr. | | Cr. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| To cash balance from 1898 | $12304 10 | By County Orders paid on the following accounts | |
| " from commissioners | 19584 38 | Assessors | $ 4693 46 |
| " " collectors | 41030 72 | Auditors | 354 00 |
| " " unseated lands | 2457 91 | Bridge | 727 22 |
| " " liquor licenses | 641 25 | Constables | 579 20 |
| " " dog tax | 832 80 | Commonwealth of Penna | 10005 30 |
| | | Commonwealth costs | 3598 95 |
| | | Court expenses | 4487 18 |
| | | Court house | 2040 17 |
| | | Cronister, W. M | 1604 05 |
| | | Donachy, Thomas | 540 00 |
| | | Danville Asylum | 589 00 |
| | | Dorworth, Dr. E. S | 100 00 |
| | | Elections | 3531 75 |
| | | Fisher, Thos. W | 995 95 |
| | | Forest fires | 1059 50 |
| | | Gardner, M. I | 225 80 |
| | | Heckman, Daniel | 1009 78 |
| | | Huntingdon Reformatory | 618 50 |
| | | Inquests | 18 16 |
| | | Jail | 1353 43 |
| | | Jury Commissioners | 148 34 |
| | | Kline, Harrison | 2000 00 |
| | | Loans | 10859 98 |
| | | Lunacy | 20 00 |
| | | Miscellaneous expenses | 3841 66 |
| | | Printing | 1541 50 |
| | | Reeder & Quigley | 400 00 |
| | | Rumberger, G. W | 272 15 |
| | | Riddle, M. F | 923 23 |
| | | Robb, N. E | 800 00 |
| | | Refunding | 18 63 |
| | | Scalp | 387 75 |
| | | Soldiers | 990 00 |
| | | State Tax | 403 40 |
| | | Smith, W. F | 428 60 |
| | | Turnpike | 1416 17 |
| | | Warren Asylum | 423 77 |
| | | Wernersville Asylum | 52 14 |
| | | Western Penitentiary | 498 68 |
| | | Paid by Order of Court: | |
| | | Stenographers | 470 98 |
| | | Road and bridge views | 379 80 |
| | | Teachers' Institute | 200 00 |
| | | Interpreter | 5 00 |
| | $76851 16 | By balance | 12827 40 |
| To cash balance, Jan. 1, 1900 | $12827 40 | | $76851 16 |

## STATEMENT OF TAXES.

COUNTY, STATE AND DOG TAXES LEVIED AND OUTSTANDING FOR THE YEAR 1899.

| District. | Collector. | Levied | | | Outstanding. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Co. | State. | Dog. | Co. | State. | Dog. |
| Bellefonte Borough | H. S Taylor | $4754 10 | 4420 17 | 76 75 | 915 82 | 304 18 | 52 75 |
| Centre Hall " | W. A. Sandoe | 371 94 | 160 69 | 12 00 | 98 59 | 7 75 | 9 00 |
| Howard " | E. C. Deitz | 340 75 | 148 45 | | 143 25 | 7 38 | 13 93 |
| Milesburg " | W. R. Campbell | 266 82 | 78 17 | | 117 58 | 23 78 | 15 75 |
| Millheim " | W. E. Keen | 471 80 | 189 10 | | 184 63 | | 16 39 |
| Philipsburg " | J. N. Schoonover | 2697 68 | 356 08 | 105 00 | 860 33 | 50 87 | 75 00 |
| South Philipsburg Boro | Frank Gage | 151 06 | 7 49 | 24 00 | 118 50 | 02 | 23 25 |
| State College Borough | J. L. Holmes | 1 [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 134 00 | 15 75 |
| Unionville " | Harris Calhoun | 209 44 | 116 67 | 12 75 | 39 58 | | 2 98 |
| Benner Township | S. H. Hoy | 1337 62 | 294 91 | 80 25 | 543 17 | 17 52 | 54 76 |
| Boggs " | James M. Lucas | 933 45 | 83 04 | 153 00 | 654 97 | | 138 00 |
| Burnside " | William Zimmerman | 129 85 | 57 40 | 7 50 | | 57 21 | 57 00 |
| College " | A. J. Lytle | 1434 42 | 191 86 | 90 75 | 566 48 | 14 03 | 55 31 |
| Curtin " | William Wensel | 188 87 | 13 96 | 64 50 | 141 90 | 02 | 51 77 |
| Ferguson " | Samuel Harpster | 1795 54 | 225 31 | 118 50 | 764 60 | 10 49 | 54 06 |
| Gregg " | H. D. Rossman | 1863 47 | 261 00 | 156 50 | 456 33 | | 75 90 |
| Haines " | H. J. Crouse | 1621 68 | 560 78 | 144 75 | 354 52 | 48 72 | 60 01 |
| Half Moon " | G. W. Loner | 715 31 | 100 25 | 48 75 | 260 95 | 09 | 29 21 |
| Harris " | J. M. Weiland | 983 66 | 288 80 | 60 75 | 400 74 | 5 23 | 34 10 |
| Howard " | J. W. Smith | 461 50 | 115 32 | 71 25 | 293 50 | 10 25 | 57 75 |
| Huston " | E. R. Williams | 297 99 | 52 17 | 46 50 | 180 81 | 7 10 | 35 68 |
| Liberty " | J. A. Bitner | 638 57 | 101 82 | 60 00 | 231 53 | 17 11 | 33 00 |
| Marion " | Joel Kling | 887 27 | 51 99 | 60 75 | 250 03 | 6 41 | 22 68 |
| Miles " | C. H. Smull | 1520 09 | 337 77 | 119 25 | 469 86 | 6 48 | 51 59 |
| Patton " | W. G. Furst | 944 68 | 95 00 | 68 25 | 396 05 | 16 72 | 50 25 |
| Penn " | James E. Harter | 1070 96 | 200 42 | 71 25 | 346 62 | 23 92 | 37 50 |
| Potter " | Jacob Lee | 2948 70 | 184 24 | 142 50 | 785 55 | 19 11 | 84 50 |
| Rush " | P. R. Gorman | 704 06 | 20 94 | 127 50 | 512 48 | 5 94 | 108 35 |
| Snow Shoe " | E. A. Humpton | 586 44 | 77 58 | 156 00 | 178 42 | | 91 75 |
| Spring " | L. E. Jodon | 2409 21 | 320 95 | 102 75 | 1417 62 | 9 34 | 72 75 |
| Taylor " | P. S. Richards | 240 24 | 10 68 | 66 00 | 179 09 | 1 52 | 56 73 |
| Union " | E. E. Erhard | 441 10 | 63 86 | 69 00 | 227 33 | | 40 26 |
| Walker " | E. J. Markle | 1581 24 | 233 36 | 118 50 | 518 27 | 21 24 | 63 74 |
| Worth " | S. U. Harshberger | 289 45 | 55 33 | 51 75 | 187 41 | 12 02 | 37 50 |
| | | 34932 03 | 10013 25 | 2595 25 | 13097 72 | 864 43 | 1675 80 |

## TAXES OUTSTANDING.

### 1894.

| Districts. | Collectors. | Am't |
|---|---|---|
| South Philipsburg | J. B. Albert | $18 27 |
| Taylor Township | Vinton Beckwith | 49 44 |
| | | $67 71 |

### 1895.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| South Philipsburg | Jacob Heller | 3 32 |
| Snow Shoe Township | J. S. Smith | 187 65 |
| Taylor " | Vinton Beckwith | 76 81 |
| | | $267 78 |

### 1896.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Millheim | John H. Woomer | 63 09 |
| Philipsburg | Robert Kinkead | 717 90 |
| South Philipsburg | Jacob Heller | 8 59 |
| Curtin Township | D. B. DeLong | 100 88 |
| Ferguson " | J. G. Hess | 268 17 |
| Snow Shoe " | R. J. Haynes Est | 32 10 |
| Union " | Wm. Hosband, Est | 71 96 |
| Spring " | L. E. Jodon | 2 00 |
| | | $1284 69 |

### 1897.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Philipsburg | J. N. Schoonover | 134 02 |
| South Philipsburg | Frank Gage | 79 78 |
| Curtin Township | Wm. Wensel | 108 99 |
| Ferguson " | Sam. Harpster Jr | 124 17 |
| Howard " | J. Wells Smith | 155 33 |
| Liberty " | J. A. Bitner | 32 25 |
| Marion " | Joel Kling | 9 07 |
| Snow Shoe " | R. J. Haynes, Est | 3 21 |
| Worth " | S. U. Harshberger | 28 31 |
| | | $674 95 |

### 1898.

| Districts. | Collectors. | County. | State. | Dog. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bellefonte Boro | H. S. Taylor | 466 71 | 76 13 | 40 62 |
| Howard " | E. C. Deitz | 83 65 | ..... | 13 91 |
| Milesburg " | W. R. Campbell | 33 67 | ..... | ..... |
| Philipsburg " | J. N. Schoonover | 543 98 | 25 61 | 81 91 |
| South Philipsburg Boro | Frank Gage | 124 45 | 01 | 19 68 |
| State College Boro | J. L. Holmes | 3 98 | ..... | 01 |
| Benner Township | S. H. Hoy | 64 50 | 5 66 | 15 96 |
| Boggs " | James M. Lucas | 583 15 | ..... | 114 36 |
| Curtin " | William Wensel | 103 84 | 6 88 | 47 04 |
| Ferguson " | Samuel Harpster Jr | 177 78 | 69 | 28 16 |
| Gregg " | H. D. Rossman | 23 24 | 1 04 | 26 07 |
| Haines " | C. A. Weaver | 107 66 | 37 44 | 33 82 |
| Howard " | J. W. Smith | 217 57 | ..... | 42 51 |
| Liberty " | J. A. Bitner | 84 86 | 3 24 | 25 20 |
| Marion " | Joel Kling | 13 88 | 4 70 | 12 90 |
| Patton " | W. G. Furst | 379 95 | 5 74 | 42 52 |
| Potter " | Jacob Lee | 259 77 | ..... | 89 54 |
| Rush " | P. R. Gorman | 223 45 | ..... | 89 86 |
| Union " | E. E. Erhard | 111 87 | ..... | 37 49 |
| Walker " | E. J. Markle | 270 55 | ..... | 57 36 |
| | | $3888 51 | $165 17 | $818 95 |

## Harrison Kline, Treasurer, in account with Sheep Funds arising from Dog Tax 1899.

| DR. | | CR. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| To cash balance Jan. 2, 1899 | $246 49 | By sheep claims paid to sundry persons in the several townships, as follows: | |
| To amount received from County Commissioners and tax collectors | 1703 82 | Gregg Township | $238 50 |
| | | Ferguson " | 212 50 |
| | | Spring " | 138 50 |
| | | Potter " | 101 50 |
| | | Half Moon " | 60 00 |
| | | Worth " | 58 50 |
| | | Howard " | 29 75 |
| | | Boggs " | 24 50 |
| | | Liberty " | 15 00 |
| | | Taylor " | 10 00 |
| | | Burnside " | 8 00 |
| | | Patton " | 7 50 |
| | | Miles " | 6 75 |
| | | Marion " | 6 50 |
| | | By amount transferred to county funds | 832 50 |
| | | By cash balance | 200 01 |
| | $1950 31 | | $1950 31 |
| To cash balance Jan. 1, 1900 | $ 200 01 | | |

## FUNDS NEEDED.

ESTIMATE OF FUNDS NEEDED FOR 1900.

| | |
|---|---|
| General Expenses | $55,000 00 |
| Bridges | 5,000 00 |
| Improvements on County Buildings | 3,000 00—$63,000 00 |

### COMMONWEALTH COSTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| N. B. Spangler, District Attorney, fees in sundry Com. cases | $546 80 | |
| W. J. Singer, District Attorney, fees in sundry Com. cases | 5 00 | |
| W. F. Smith, Prothonotary fees in sundry Com. cases (1898) | 293 95 | |
| Joseph Rightnour, County Detective, same | 225 80 | |
| H. H. Montgomery, Const. same | 72 12 | |
| Geo. B. Winters, " " | 17 68 | |
| Harry Sinsler, " " | 26 39 | |
| Ira Howe, " " | 92 30 | |
| David Chambers, " " | 23 06 | |
| D. W. Glossner, " " | 33 65 | |
| James McMullen, " " | 12 34 | |
| Vinton Beckwith, " " | 2 25 | |
| A. Lucas, " " | 1 50 | |
| W. E. Kessinger, " " | 7 45 | |
| J. G. McKinley, " " | 2 16 | |
| Reuben Kline, " " | 7 02 | |
| J. C. Marks, " " | 2 59 | |
| P. C. Frank, " " | 74 69 | |
| J. W. Batchelor, " " | 1 00 | |
| A. C. Miliward, " " | 117 28 | |
| S. J. McClintic, " " | 5 40 | |
| A. W. Oliver, " " | 8 97 | |
| Oscar Holt, " " | 18 38 | |
| P. P. Leitzell, " " | 29 02 | |
| Ira G. Lucas, " " | 81 26 | |
| D. T. Allison, " " | 5 80 | |
| Miles Hoover, " " | 4 70 | |
| A. R. Barr, " " | 17 67 | |
| Wm. J. Butler, " " | 14 22 | |
| Isaiah Woodle, " " | 15 20 | |
| William Garis, " " | 1 00 | |
| J. C. Williams, J. P., same | 10 20 | |
| J. Miles Green, " " | 13 60 | |
| J. D. Brown, " " | 30 95 | |
| W. M. Grove, " " | 22 27 | |
| J. M. Keichline, " " | 90 95 | |
| D. A. Deitrich, " " | 2 25 | |
| M. L. Rishel, " " | 2 75 | |
| B. J. LaPorte, " " | 9 50 | |
| J. S. Housman, " " | 7 75 | |
| F. P. Musser, " " | 24 42 | |
| W. I. Harter, " " | 6 75 | |
| L. A. Schaeffer, " " | 1 75 | |
| D. H. Yeager, " " | 12 38 | |
| S. F. Kline, " " | 8 35 | |
| J. F. Garthoff, " " | 9 65 | |
| Thomas Weston, " " | 2 25 | |
| J. H. Oliger, " " | 2 75 | |
| S. H. Shaffer, " " | 1 10 | |
| J. W. Collins, " " | 2 80 | |
| N. Beerly, " " | 2 50 | |
| Witnesses | 1567 19—$3598 95 | |

### ELECTION EXPENSES.

| | | Feb. | Nov. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bellefonte Boro. | N. W.... | $33 00 | $28 57 |
| " " | S. W... | 24 50 | 21 00 |
| " " | W. W... | 32 90 | 28 50 |
| Centre Hall " | ..... | 35 83 | 31 80 |
| Howard " | ..... | 32 79 | 29 65 |
| Milesburg " | ..... | 31 61 | 28 60 |
| Millheim " | ..... | 36 18 | 33 65 |
| Philipsburg " | 1st W... | 36 62 | 37 70 |
| " " | 2nd W... | 39 82 | 38 80 |
| " " | 3rd W... | 38 07 | 38 45 |
| South " | ..... | 37 42 | 37 45 |
| State College " | ..... | 33 50 | 31 10 |
| Unionville " | ..... | 32 46 | 28 60 |
| Benner Township | N. P... | 32 54 | 27 90 |
| " " | S. P... | 30 10 | 27 60 |
| Boggs " | N. P... | 28 87 | 27 20 |
| " " | E. P... | 26 07 | 25 45 |
| " " | W. P... | 32 96 | 28 10 |
| Burnside " | ..... | 37 34 | 33 40 |
| College " | ..... | 33 92 | 29 30 |
| Curtin " | ..... | 35 56 | 30 60 |
| Ferguson " | E. P... | 34 96 | 31 70 |
| " " | W. P... | 30 90 | 32 10 |
| Gregg " | N. P... | 26 98 | 27 60 |
| " " | E. P... | 33 30 | 31 20 |
| " " | W. P... | 27 48 | 30 00 |
| Haines " | E. P... | 31 86 | 33 20 |
| " " | W. P... | 36 59 | 36 30 |
| Half Moon " | ..... | 34 83 | 31 85 |
| Howard " | ..... | 33 39 | 30 05 |
| Huston " | ..... | 35 26 | 23 40 |
| Liberty " | ..... | 32 56 | 29 10 |
| Marion " | ..... | 33 90 | 31 40 |
| Miles " | E. P... | 29 69 | 32 60 |
| " " | M. P... | 38 06 | 34 60 |
| " " | W. P... | 28 30 | 31 65 |
| Patton " | ..... | 34 15 | 29 65 |
| Penn " | ..... | 35 73 | 33 45 |
| Potter " | N. P... | 30 66 | 31 80 |
| " " | S. P... | 35 28 | 31 85 |
| Rush " | N. P... | 36 24 | 39 90 |
| " " | S. P... | 41 58 | 37 55 |
| Snow Shoe " | E. P... | 39 10 | 37 70 |
| " " | W. P... | 32 20 | 33 50 |
| Spring " | N. P... | 28 82 | 26 25 |
| " " | S. P... | 34 15 | 28 05 |
| " " | W. P... | 23 12 | 27 75 |
| Taylor " | ..... | 30 39 | 29 85 |
| Union " | ..... | 31 98 | 28 50 |
| Walker " | E. P... | 28 35 | 29 60 |
| " " | M. P... | 34 70 | 30 00 |
| " " | W. P... | 27 65 | 28 40 |
| Worth " | ..... | 35 05 | 31 00 |
| | | $2477 17 | $2461 65 |

J. C. Rossman, booth service, 1898
Feb. and Nov. elections, N. P. Gregg township ..... $ 3 07
Elmer Straub, stove for W. P. Spring township ..... 6 00
Robert Cooke, delivering ballots Feb. election ..... 4 00
Franklin Stover, delivering ballots Feb. election ..... 1 10
W. D. O'Brien, delivering ballots Feb. election ..... 3 00
S. R. Pringle, delivering ballots Feb election ..... 1 00
Jacob Meyer, use school house, Nov. 1898 & Feb. 1899, Harris township ..... 10 00
J. R. Alexander, use store room, Nov. 1898 & Feb. 1899, W. P. Spring township ..... 10 00
H. F. Kessinger, booth service Nov. 1898 & Feb. 1899, Liberty township ..... 4 00
J. Toner Lucas, booth service Nov. 1898 & Feb. 1899, W. P. Snow Shoe township ..... 4 00
Jos. L. Neff, use school house, Nov. 1898, W. P. Boggs Twp ..... 4 00
L. A. Schaeffer, computing and tabulating Nov. election returns, 1899 ..... 10 00
Claud Cooke, same ..... 10 00—$70 10
$3531 75

### ASSESSORS' ACCOUNT.

| | |
|---|---|
| Bellefonte Boro. | |
| N. W., S. A. Bell, Val & Reg | $138 86 |
| S. W., James McCafferty, same | 136 41 |
| W. W., James H. Rine, same | 88 09 |
| Centre Hall Boro. | |
| D. A. Boozer, Val. & Reg | 33 60 |
| Howard Boro. | |
| O. J. Allison, Val. & Reg | 73 61 |
| Milesburg Boro. | |
| P. H. Haupt, Val. & Reg | 73 35 |
| Millheim Boro. | |
| Jacob Alter, Val. & Reg | 83 58 |
| Philipsburg Boro. | |
| 1st W., Chas. H. Musser, Val. & Reg | 98 06 |
| 2nd W., D. A. Paul, same | 81 28 |
| 3rd W., Samuel Mitchell, same | 70 75 |
| " Geo. M. Rhule, same | 31 06 |
| South Philipsburg Boro. | |
| Lafayette Stine, Val. & Reg | 33 74 |
| State College Boro. | |
| B. F. Morgan, Val. & Reg | 79 64 |
| Unionville Boro. | |
| Geo. P. Hall, Val. & Reg | 40 10 |
| Benner Township. | |
| David Rhinesmith, Val | 60 50 |
| N. P., John F. Grove, Reg | 2 00 |
| " J. S. Henderson, Reg | 22 50 |
| " Henry Huey, Reg | 14 90 |
| S. P., Samuel Markle, Reg | 32 95 |
| Boggs Township. | |
| Jerome A. Confer, Val | 85 29 |
| N. P., W. H. Yarnell, Reg | 2 00 |
| " L. D. Thorp, Reg | 31 95 |
| E. P., Henry Shultz, Reg | 30 85 |
| W. P., C. C. Iddings, Reg | 19 18 |
| " E. R. Hancock, Reg | 43 70 |
| Burnside Township. | |
| A. V. Daugherty, Val. & Reg | 63 47 |
| College Township. | |
| William Everhart, Val. & Reg | 93 46 |
| Curtin Township. | |
| William Wensel, Val. & Reg | 56 33 |
| Ferguson Township. | |
| W. H. Fry, Val | 63 23 |
| E. P., Aaron W. Tressler, Reg | 26 86 |
| " A. D. Tanyer, Reg | 44 49 |
| W. P., Harry B. Goheen, Reg | 2 04 |
| " W. E. McWilliams, Reg | 41 37 |
| Gregg Township. | |
| J. H. McCool, Val | 72 93 |
| N. P., Joseph Rachau, Reg | 11 31 |
| " J. F. Waugh, Reg | 36 66 |
| E. P., W. F. Frederick, Reg | 39 64 |
| W. P., J. F. Emerick, Reg | 2 00 |
| " Franklin Ripka, Reg | 38 49 |
| Haines Township. | |
| E. A. Boozer, Val | 80 13 |
| E. P., L. K. Dennis, Reg | 31 68 |
| W. P., Clymer H. Stover, Reg | 30 57 |
| Half Moon Township. | |
| J. C. Mattern, Val. & Reg | 61 80 |
| Harris Township. | |
| S. H. Bailey, Val. & Reg | 66 37 |
| Howard Township. | |
| Franklin Deitz, Val. & Reg | 73 52 |
| Huston Township. | |
| W. P. Parsons, Val. & Reg | 79 55 |
| Liberty Township. | |
| Frederick Robb, Val. & Reg | 96 25 |
| Marion Township. | |
| A. H. Speyd, Val. & Reg | 49 47 |
| B. F. Thompson, Val. & Reg | 14 45 |
| Miles Township. | |
| D. W. Harter, Val | 83 71 |
| E. P., Henry Gilbert, Reg | 27 88 |
| M. P., L. B. Frank, Reg | 28 07 |
| W. P., Jacob Frank, Reg | 15 04 |
| " A. L. Rachau, Reg | 26 45 |
| Patton Township. | |
| P. B. Kephеart, Val. and Reg | 80 06 |
| Penn Township. | |
| Daniel Hosterman, Val and Reg | 97 00 |
| Potter Township. | |
| W. W. Royer, Val | 98 68 |
| N. P., G. W. Koch, Reg | 18 80 |
| S. P., W. W. Royer, Reg | 22 05 |
| Rush Township. | |
| H. S. Stuart, Val | 63 54 |
| N. P., Thomas James, Reg | 2 00 |
| " David James Reg | 55 29 |
| S. P., Charles Kennedy, Reg | 50 26 |
| Snow Shoe Township | |
| Henry Keech, Val | 83 04 |
| E. P., E. A. Humpton, Reg | 48 55 |
| W. P., John Harsharger, Reg | 2 04 |
| " William Kerin, Reg | 42 44 |
| Spring township. | |
| A. J. Swartz, Val | 92 50 |
| N. P., E. G. Osmer, Reg | 43 35 |
| S. P., W. H. Florey, Reg | 53 00 |
| W. P., Edward McMurtrie, Reg | 44 10 |
| Taylor Township. | |
| Vinton Beckwith, Val. and Reg | 132 94 |
| Union Township. | |
| R. T. Comly, Val. and Reg | 60 25 |
| Walker Township. | |
| J. T. Dunkle, Val | 63 37 |
| E. P., A. G. Robb, Reg | 2 00 |
| " William Treaster, Reg | 31 65 |
| M. P., C. S. Miller, Reg | 29 37 |
| W. P., S. E. Showers, Reg | 2 00 |
| " B. F. Lintz, Reg | 26 59 |
| Worth Township, | |
| Geo. R. Williams, Val. and Reg | 83 80—$4093.46 |

### COURT EXPENSES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Grand Jurors, Jan. Sessions | $198 52 |
| " April " | 230 44 |
| " Aug. " | 233 60 |
| " Nov. " | 181 96 |
| Trav. Jurors, Jan. " 1st w | 457 20 |
| " " " 2nd w | 526 08 |
| " April " 1st w | 606 54 |
| " " " 2nd w | 371 48 |
| " Aug. " 1st w | 433 00 |
| " Nov. " 1st w | 418 28 |
| " " " 2nd w | 372 08 |
| S. C. Hunter, court crier | 104 00 |
| Simeon Haupt, court messenger | 104 00 |
| D. S. Dunham, tipstaff | 80 00 |
| Thomas McCafferty tipstaff | 88 00 |
| Thomas Donachy " | 82 00—$4487 18 |

### COURT HOUSE EXPENSES.

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| Bellefonte Gas Co., steam heat | $364 40 |
| Edison Electric Illuminating Co., light, lamps and repairs | 259 35 |
| W. R. Brachbill, seats for court room and furniture for offices | 855 29 |
| Hugh Bros. & Co., matting and linoleum | 126 65 |
| Katz & Co., carpet | 82 40 |
| James A. McCafferty, balance for resetting stone steps | 57 10 |
| E. K. Rhoads, sand for resetting stone steps | 9 92 |
| J. C. Weaver, premium on insurance | 49 00 |
| John A. Confer, repairing and painting chairs | 55 60 |
| S. H. Williams, furnishing material and papering Prothonotary's office | 15 05 |
| R. J. Schad & Bro., radiator for Prothonotary's office | 15 00 |
| J. W. Houser, painting and repairing Ladies' water closet | 15 75 |
| Martin Cooney, repairing plastering on outside wall | 11 25 |
| Henry Lowry, carpentering | 2 55 |
| Walter Whippo, plates for seats in Court room | 8 20 |
| McCalmont & Co., building stones, lime, etc | 17 69 |
| Vollmer & Simms, decorating for I. O. O. F. convention | 20 00 |
| Daniel Irvin's Sons, hardware | 10 51 |
| James McDermott, laying stone step | 1 75 |
| S. C. Hunter, carpentering | 2 00 |
| V. D. Culveyhouse, making keys for offices | 50 |
| Henry D. Brown, making keys for offices | 50—$2040 17 |

### JAIL EXPENSES.

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|---|---|
| Bellefonte Gas Co., steam heat | $416 40 |
| Edison Electric Illuminating Co. light, lamps and repairs | 173 75 |
| Thomas McCafferty, painting Jail walls | 285 00 |
| S.H. Williams, papering Sheriff's residence | 107 43 |
| Lyon & Co., clothing for prisoners | 61 51 |
| A. Katz & Co., " " | 35 25 |
| M. Fauble, " " | 30 95 |
| John Meese clothing for prisoners, etc | 30 92 |
| Joseph Bros. & Co., clothing for prisoners | 24 65 |
| Powers Shoe Co., shoes for prisoners | 5 75 |
| W. J. Bauer, shoes for prisoners | 3 50 |
| A. C. Mingle, " " | 1 00 |
| G. S. Keller, blankets for prisoners | 18 75 |
| Catherine Solt, washing for prisoners | 63 20 |
| James E. Solt, repairing prisoners shoes | 1 75 |
| W. T. Nolt, scraping walls, furnishing material and whitewashing interior of jail | 20 00 |
| W. T. Twitmire, spouting and placing same | 15 00 |
| John A. Confer, making and hanging screen doors | 17 00 |
| Jenkins & Lingle, repairing locks on doors | 3 70 |
| B. H. Shaffer, painting jail | 8 27 |
| A. M. Greninger, repairing locks on doors | 75 |
| C. M. Parrish, drugs | 1 25 |
| Joshua Folk, repairing garden fence | 1 50 |
| S. C. Hunter, carpentering | 5 85 |
| W. M. Cronister, Sheriff, boarding assistants, removing ashes from jail yard | 12 00 |
| James McDermott, repairing cell | 1 75 |
| Franklin Miller, cleaning cell and attending mason | 1 50 |
| John J. Smith, blanket | 75 |
| Tube City Chemical Co., "Kill-erine" | 2 50—$1353 43 |

### PRINTING ACCOUNT.

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|---|---|
| Keystone Gazette. | |
| Printing and distributing annual statements, election ballots, and blanks | $1009 30 |
| Bellefonte Republican. | |
| Circulating annual statements, printing Feb. election ballots and blanks | 126 05 |
| Centre Democrat. | |
| Circulating annual statements, Printing Feb. election ballots and blanks | 106 00 |
| Centre Democrat. | |
| Circulating annual statements and printing Court calendars | 110 00 |
| Daily & Weekly Journal. | |
| Circulating annual statements | 10 39 |
| Howard Hustler. | |
| Circulating annual statements | 10 66 |
| Philipsburg Ledger. | |
| Circulating annual statements and advertising annual appeals | 47 60 |
| Bituminous Record. | |
| Circulating annual statements | 8 00 |
| Times Publishing Co. | |
| Circulating annual statements | 8 00 |
| Centre Reporter. | |
| Circulating annual statements and printing Feb. ballots | 57 50 |
| Democratic Watchman. | |
| Circulating annual statements | 40 00 |
| Post & Bulletin. | |
| Circulating annual statements | 8 00—$1541 50 |

### BRIDGE ACCOUNT.

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|---|---|
| Havana Bridge Works, building and erecting Boalsburg B'dge | $350 00 |
| W. T. Leathers & Son painting Centre Co's. portion of Karthaus B'dge | 81 00 |
| D. B. Kunes, painting Centre Co's. portion Beech Creek B'dge | 30 00 |
| W. W. Spangler, repairing Centre Co's. portion of Beech Creek B'dge | 12 91 |
| E. E. Winslow, repairing Centre Co's. portion of Beech Creek B'dge and Hubbard's B'dge | 71 16 |
| William Kunes repairing Marsh Creek B'dge | 29 13 |
| J. H. Wetzel, engineer, Curtin, Gregg and Taylor Twp. B'dges | 42 58 |
| S. Kline Woodring, same, Curtin, Gregg and Taylor Twp. B'dges | 44 99 |
| Samuel Brugger, engineer, Taylor Twp. B'dge | 15 45 |
| John Walk, supervisor, applied on the erection of Taylor Twp B'dge | 50 00—$727 22 |

### LOANS.

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|---|---|
| W. F. Smith, loan and interest | $1080 00 |
| Mrs. Cora MacMinn, same | 745 60 |
| First National Bank, same | 3065 00 |
| Jackson, Hastings & Co., same | 5564 17 |
| L. M. Adams, same | 323 00 |
| W. P. Fisher, interest | 87 50 |
| Miss Jennie Fisher, interest | 73 46 |
| Foster V. Jodon, interest | 21 25—$10859 98 |

### STATE TAX.

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|---|---|
| W. F. Smith, Prothonotary, reporting judgments (1898) | $162 50 |
| J. C. Harper, Recorder, balance reporting mortgages (1898) | 90 |
| J. C. Harper, Recorder, reporting mortgages on acct. (1899) | 40 00 |
| N. E. Robb, keeping records, mortages and judgments | 200 00—$403 40 |

### MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT.

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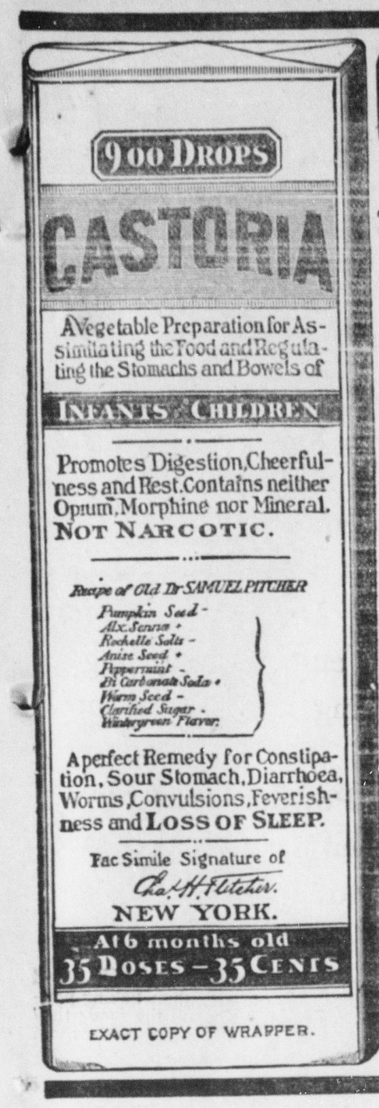
|---|---|
| Wm. G. Johnston & Co. assessment books, blank books, etc. | $327 63 |
| Clinton Democrat Publishing Co., repairing and making books | 107 00 |
| Wm. Mann Co., stationery | 58 07 |
| Wm. F. Murphy's Sons, blank books | 28 75 |
| Geo. T. Bush, stationery | 39 70 |
| W. N. Kurtz & Bro., stationery | 20 43 |
| John C. Clark & Sons, " | 17 50 |
| Racket Store Co., " | 6 96 |
| Geo. T. Bisel " | 6 00 |
| Mary J. Hunt " | 4 05 |
| Hunt & Co., pens | 5 00 |
| The DeHaare Co., pens | 5 00 |
| John Harrison, " | 1 50 |
| W. Galer Morrison, indexing Corporation Indexes | 640 00 |
| J. Thos. Mitchell, same | 108 00 |
| W. D. Dukeman, balance, same | 265 00 |
| J. W. Alexander, " | 22 00 |
| W. F. Smith certificate " | 8 25 |
| Wm. G. Runkle, auditing account Register, Recorder and Prothonotary | 55 50 |
| W. F. Smith, fees surcharge County Commissioners by County Auditors | 10 25 |
| Harry Keller, N. P., same | 10 00 |
| N. B. Spangler, same | 9 00 |
| J. L. Dunlap, witness same | 1 50 |
| H. H. Montgomery, witness same | 1 50 |
| Amos Mullen, witness, same | 1 50 |
| Joshua Folk, witness, same | 1 50 |
| H. S. Taylor, tax collector, 1899 water tax Co. buildings | 110 00 |
| Harrison Kline, County Treasurer, commission on 1899 liquor license | 32 06 |
| Geo. A. Bayard, repairing walks and driveway | 371 34 |
| L. A. Schaeffer, J. P., swearing Co. Commissioners to legal paper | 25 |
| Harry Keller, N. P., same | 1 75 |
| H. C. Quigley " " | 5 50 |
| S. D. Gettig, " " | 75 |
| W. E. Gray, " " etc | 15 00 |
| D. F. Fortney, P. M., postage | 35 05 |
| W. W. Montgomery, P. M., postage | 60 00 |
| Amer. Ex. Co., expressage | 19 50 |
| Adams " " | 18 19 |
| Archibald Allison, plumbing and supplies | 88 71 |
| R J. Schadd & Bro., same | 55 80 |
| Ardell Lumber Co., lumber | 15 29 |
| Jas. Harris & Co., hardware | 171 16 |
| Dan. Irvins's Sons " | 10 66 |
| Western Union Telegraph Co., messages | 2 87 |
| Central Penna. Telephone and Supply Co., use of phones | 111 70 |
| Central Commercial Telephone Co., use of phones | 54 00 |
| P. H. Haupt, copying registry of voters | 37 30 |
| A. G. Robb, same | 6 30 |
| Geo. W. Fisher, same | 29 28 |
| J. F. Barton, same | 11 35 |
| E. C. McKinley, same | 11 35 |
| W. D. Dukeman, same | 3 58 |
| Ira C. Aley, same | 7 42 |
| H. B. Pontius copying tax-duplicates | 20 00 |
| Geo. S. Russel, copying registry of voters and tax-duplicates | 24 79 |
| A. S. Stover, same | 14 09 |
| E. J. Williams, same | 28 67 |
| E. R. Hancock | 16 60 |
| J. C. Jodon, copying tax-duplicates | 18 80 |
| John A. Confer, copying registry of voters and tax-duplicates | 15 20 |
| O. M. Kling, copying tax-duplicates | 3 70 |
| Robt. A. Miller, same | 15 00 |
| S. W. Butler, same | 7 70 |
| Orian Kline, computing 1899 taxes on unseated lands | 10 69 |
| John Taylor, preservation timber lands in Potter Twp | 21 15 |
| Abner Alexander, " " | 22 50 |
| A. S. Hepburn & wife attending Mrs. Linn Saylor, insane | 26 00 |
| F. Potts Green, toilet paper | 9 00 |
| J. C. Harper, Recorder, recording bonds of M. F. Riddle and F. H. Meyer, Co. commissioners | 5 25 |
| John Meese, buckets, etc | 3 05 |
| Reeder & Quigley, Attys., maintainance and medical attendance Jas. W. Porter, Boggs Twp., and Jas. P. Irvin and David Crossmire, Millesburg Boro | 213 98 |
| Wm. Reed, repairing cess pool | 4 00 |
| F. P. Blair & Co., repairing office clock | 3 00 |
| Jas. McMullen, serving notice to kill dogs | 1 70 |
| John Smith, basket | 75 |
| McCalmont & Co., seeds and fertiliser | 1 95 |
| Nathan Elias, dusting brush | 1 00 |
| Eli Baney, carpet sweeper | 1 00 |
| A. C. Mingle, boxes | 50 |
| W. H. Smith & Bro., brooms and candles | 6 30 |
| Frank Miller, sodding yard rear Court house | 20 22 |
| Fred Waltz sodding yard between Jail and Court house | 3 56 |
| Robert Watkins, rolling lawn | 1 75 |
| L. F. Adams, soap | 85 |
| Ira From, drayage | 2 50 |
| J. C. Johnson, same | 1 53 |
| Harvey Stine, same | 4 50 |
| Richard Barlett, same | 1 50 |
| Eli Baney, same | 50 |
| Geo. A. Beezer, same | 25 |
| Harvey Baney, same | 25 |
| Roland Hickel, same | 25 |
| A. Baum, livery | 26 50 |
| Daniel Heckman, same | 22 00 |
| Jesse K. Cox, same | 1 00 |
| W. S. Bodinger, same | 5 00 |
| H. S. Sinclair | 1 50 |
| J. C. Kunes | 1 50 |
| G. C. Woodring | 1 25 |
| Hurley & Copelin | 1 00 |
| Thos. Shaughenay, repairing gutter | 40 |
| Peter Smith, repairing chairs | 10 25 |
| Joel Kling, attending Harrison township tax-duplicate and registry of voters to Geo. S. Russel | 1 00 |
| A. M. Greninger, helping to move furniture | 25 |
| United Typewriter & Supply Co., repairing typewriter | 3 75 |
| C. B. Williams, exchange typewriter | 45 00 |
| G. W. Reese, soap, brooms, etc., | 43 23 |
| Harry J. Jackson, securing papers Mary C. Heis | 50 |
| John Trafford, expenses incurred conveying Minnie Harpster to "Crittenden Home" | 7 41 |
| Joshua Folk, cleaning Court room | 7 13 |
| Albert Roberts, same | 9 00 |
| Garbrick & Tate, ice | 23 05 |
| J. Zellers & Son, disinfectants | 2 60 |
| W. F. Reeder, expenses incurred appearing before Board of Pardons in James Cornelly case | 16 38 |
| Tower & Lyon, equipments for Jos. W. Rightnour, county detective | 10 25 |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This most irritating disease relieved in ten minutes by using Dr. Agnew's Ointment, and a cure in from three to six nights. Thousands testify of its goodness. Good for Eczema, Salt Rheum and all skin diseases. If you are without faith one application will convince. 35 cts. 73.

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Why should not Centre County granges contest for the flag offered by the Lecturer of the State Grange to the organization that will add to its membership the largest additional number during the year 1900? Try what you can do, and if you don't succeed try again. The effort will do you good whether you get the flag or not.


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If it was only health, we might let it cling.

But it is a cough. One cold no sooner passes off before another comes. But it's the same old cough all the time.

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### NEW YORK FASHIONS.

**Spring Styles—Colorings—Millinery—New Materials—The Coming Skirt—Plaids.**

Colors are a very important element in dress for Spring and Summer and never before has such a variety been presented for choice. Chief among these are the pastel colorings that in fashionable indistinctness, are often the pale semblance of a hue rather than a reality yet when rightly placed, as in some of the new plaids, they present a weird attractiveness peculiar to themselves and novel especially for plaids that hitherto have been special exponents of decided and for the most part, bright shades. Again with delightful combination, brilliant bars of red appear among pastel surroundings and produce the charm that waits especially on contrast. In

MILLINERY

ribbons, the pastel shades find frequent representation and even in foliage, which is extremely prominent and important numerous leaves show pale tints. Tinted leaves are indeed a great feature and reach unwonted size, with the view of displaying such tones, but now and again, the gorgeous hues of Autumn, give a change. Pastel colors are transferred to flowers that often in mammoth sizes spread languid surfaces which in roses may reach six inches in diameter. Poppies likewise stretch forth pale leaves but both are relieved from undue heaviness, by the employment of very light material, even chiffon, not being thought too fragile. Often however, support is given by silk or velvet leaves, yet in these low lying and wide open examples, but little support is needed, other than the headgear on which they repose. Leaves may take their place when high rising effects are desired and the more so, since the coming season will be a most leafy one. In

MATERIALS

as in millinery, Lord & Taylor make their usual authoritative display and their sample books show that crepons are again to be fashionable. Much account too is made of smooth surfaced wools, usually in dark colors, that show white or pale designs in cotton. Elegant goods are in poplin weave, but extremely thin and while on the order of veilings, are far more dressy. Marked novelties appear in cotton goods that being mercerized have the gloss of silk and as silk patterns have been imitated, the eye becomes easily deceived and dressy effects are obtained at small cost. Gingham show silk like stripes with pretty result. For

GENERAL WEAR

nothing however is so satisfactory as light weight wool fabrics that hold their own at all times and emphatic mention should be made of cravenettes, as this admirable class of dress goods becomes each season more in vogue. They lead for outing wear, because absolutely waterproof and this without the slightest mixture of rubber, the yarn being made rain repellant, by a special process. Cravenettes come in fine weaves of cheviot, serge camel's hair, sateen prunella, soleil and whipcord. There is nothing in the appearance of these goods, to indicate the waterproofing process.

NEW SKIRTS

The belle of 1900 will have her gown tucked from top to toe. Everyone knows how extremely fashionable tucks have been and are still on waists and now the new skirts will at times be tucked all around or again the favorite device will appear in groupings as may please the fancy. Some new skirts show a group of tucks at the back, which corresponds to a similar group in front and as time goes on, new developments may be expected in this line. At present the tucks run lengthwise and terminate about a foot from the lower edge, so that the material flares like a flounce or a flounce may be set in at the bottom. Mrs. Conners, Plaids will be very fashionable fashionable for waists and those in the pastel colors are extremely stylish.

LUCY CARTER.

### Died of Convulsions.

Mrs. William Stalcup, of Trout Run, Lycoming County, died a few days ago under peculiar circumstances. Her death was indirectly due to fright sustained while defending her son from the attack of a drunken man who forced his way into her home. Young Stalcup had enraged the drunken man by calling him names, and the fellow, it is said started after the boy, declaring that he would kill him and flourishing a knife. Mrs. Stalcup prevented the drunken man's attack on her son by throwing herself into the doorway and barring his progress. He then declared he would kill Mrs. Stalcup, it is said, and raised the knife to strike. The woman was so badly frightened that she fell in a swoon and an hour later suffered an attack of convulsions. Mrs. Stalcup died two days later.

### $100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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### He Brained His Man.

The Clearfield county court room was crowded to the door Tuesday when the case of J. C. Harmon, of Penfield, charged with the murder of Ezekiel Hewitt, of the same place, was called for trial. The killing took place in Harmon's store last fall, as a result of an argument between Hewitt and the store-keeper, in which the latter, it is alleged, hurled a weight and brained his customer. The prosecution is represented by ex-Judge D. L. Krebs, ex-Congressman W. C. Arnold and District Attorney A. H. Woodward. The defendants' interests are in the hands of A. L. Cole and S. V. Wilson.

Harmon looked pallid and careworn. The greater part of the day was occupied with the drawing of the jury.

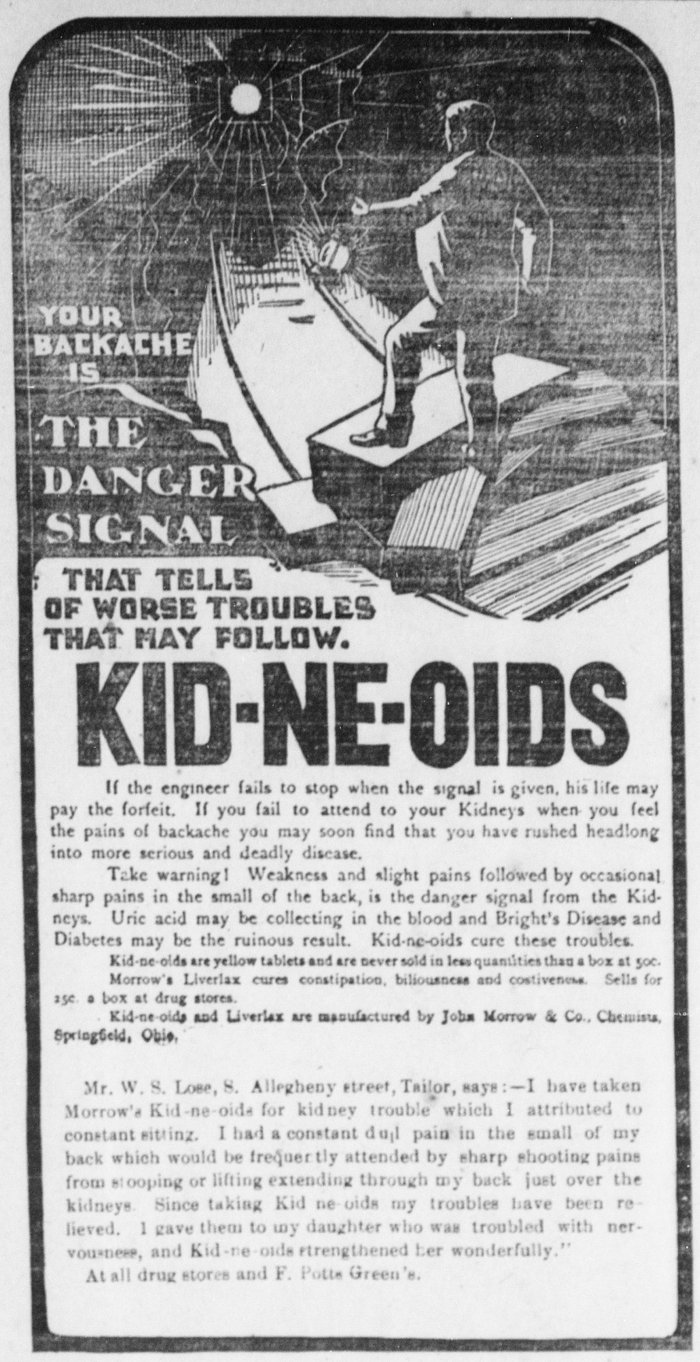
### Nasal Catarrh.

quickly yields to treatment by Ely's Cream Balm, which is agreeable aromatic. It is received through the nostrils, cleanses and heals the whole surface over which it diffuses itself. A remedy for Nasal Catarrh which is drying or exciting to the diseased membrane should not be used. Cream Balm is recognized at a specific. Price 50 cents at druggists or by mail. A cold in the head immediately disappears when Cream Balm is used Ely Brothers 56 Warren Streets, New York.

### Bringing in the Wild Animals.

John Swope still continues to bring in the wild animals roving about Huntingdon county. During the last week he captured six foxes and eleven minks. On Monday he succeeded in capturing a large wild cat near Barree tunnel. This is supposed to be the same animal that carried one of his traps away at that place about two weeks ago by breaking the chain.

**HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.**


# KID-NE-OIDS

If the engineer fails to stop when the signal is given, his life may pay the forfeit. If you fail to attend to your Kidneys when you feel the pains of backache you may soon find that you have rushed headlong into more serious and deadly disease.

Take warning! Weakness and slight pains followed by occasional sharp pains in the small of the back, is the danger signal from the Kidneys. Uric acid may be collecting in the blood and Bright's Disease and Diabetes may be the ruinous result. Kid-ne-oids cure these troubles.

Kid-ne-olds are yellow tablets and are never sold in less quantities than a box at 50c.

Morrow's Liverlax cures constipation, biliousness and costiveness. Sells for 25c. a box at drug stores.

Kid-ne-olds and Liverlax are manufactured by John Morrow & Co., Chemists, Springfield, Ohio.

Mr. W. S. Lose, S. Allegheny street, Tailor, says:—I have taken Morrow's Kid-ne-oids for kidney trouble which I attributed to constant sitting. I had a constant dull pain in the small of my back which would be frequently attended by sharp shooting pains from stooping or lifting extending through my back just over the kidneys. Since taking Kid ne-oids my troubles have been relieved. I gave them to my daughter who was troubled with nervousness, and Kid-ne-oids strengthened her wonderfully."

At all drug stores and F. Potts Green's.


### [Foster's Weather Forecast.

My last storm bulletin gave forecasts of the storm wave to cross the continent from the 6th to the 10th, and the next will reach the Pacific coast about the 11th, cross the Rockies country by close of 12th, great central valleys 13th to 15th, eastern states 16.

Warm wave will cross the west of Rockies country about 11th, great central valleys 13th, eastern states 15th.

Cool wave will cross the west of Rockies country about the 14th, the great central valleys 15th, eastern states 18.

Temperature of the week ending 8 a. m. February 19th will average about normal in the great central valleys, the eastern states and on the Pacific slope. Rainfall will be above normal.

About the date of this bulletin a wave of high temperature will be in the Ohio valley moving eastward with a cold wave entering the upper Missouri valley, and this cold wave will be the beginning of a great fall in temperature that will terminate in cold weather about the 24th.

Not far from the date of this bulletin will begin a long period of excessive precipitation in the great central valleys, rains at first, followed by snows in the northern states, rains in the southern. Frost will go far south as we approach Feb. 24.

### FLORIDA.

**Two Weeks' Tour via. Pennsylvania Railroad.**

The second Pennsylvania Railroad tour of the season to Jacksonville, allowing two weeks in Florida, will leave New York and Philadelphia February 20.

Excursion tickets, including railway transportation, Pullman accommodations (one berth), and meals en route in both directions while traveling on the special train, will be sold at the following rates: New York, $50.00; Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Baltimore and Washington. $48.00; Pittsburg, $53.00, and at proportionate rates from other points.

For tickets, itineraries, and other information apply to ticket agents, Tourist Agent at 1196 Broadway, New York; 4 Court Street, Brooklyn; 789 Broad Street, Newark, N. J.; B. Courlaender, Jr., Passenger Agent Baltimore District, Baltimore, Md.; Colin Studds, Passenger Agent Southeastern District; Washington, D. C.; Thos. E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, Pittsburg Pa.; or to Geo, W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

### A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham, of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she would die of Pneumonia before morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottles free at F. Potts Green's drug store.

### The Upright Man of Business.

There is no man in the world who commands a higher moral respect and admiration than the upright man of business. We cannot but feel that men of this caliber are becoming more scarce in this age of maddening haste to acquire riches. The philanthropist is not in every case a man of that lofty moral uprightness; and, furthermore, it is not for the generous man that we feel the highest respect. Generosity is a lower quality—often a mere impulse compared with the lofty virtue of uprightness. All due credit to the man who distributes extensive charities and bestows magnificent donations. That is all very good, and we would not for one instant disparage such acts of well-doing. We wish there were more men of generosity in the world; but the one man above the philanthropist, the martyr and any other type of mankind, is the man of true, unbending uprightness—he who stands firm, calm and upright amidst all the swaying interests and perilous exigencies of a business life, He is the man who can see another man's interest as well as he can see his own. He is the man who could sit a judge upon a question between himself and his neighbor just as safely as the purest magistrate on the bench of justice. Ah! how much richer than gold—how far nobler than the train of magisterial authority—is that simple, magnanimous and majestic truth. Yes, we offer the highest laudation to the man who is true—true to himself, his neighbor, and his God—true to what is right—true to his conscience, and who feels that the slightest suggestion from that conscience is more to him than the chance of acquiring a hundred estates.—Ex.

### Married at Elmira.

Friday's Lock Haven *Democrat* says:

The spirit of running away to be married is becoming very popular among Lock Haven young people. For some time Miss Sarah T. Wolfe, of Madisonburg, has been residing in this city. She was courted by a young gentlemen from her home by the name of K. A. Miller. The young couple hearing of the oppsition of the sweetheart's parents of their union, determined to take the matter in their own hands. Accordingly Monday morning they left for Elmira where they were married by Rev. Mr. DeCamp, pastor of a Presbyterian church, in that city. The newly married couple returned to Lock Haven that night. The young wife will remain here for a short time, while her husband, who is working in Williamsport, will get things together to go to to housekeeping.

### It's a Fact.

An exchange says that merchants who want newspaper men to roast grocery peddlers, cheap John stores and the like, would make newspaper men feel more like doing so if they quit using free letter heads of soap firms and wholesale gargling oil envelopes, baking powder statements, sidewalk advertisements and rubber stamps, and patronize home printing offices.

—There will be a local teachers institute held at Eagleville; on Feb 23 and 24th, to which all are invited.

### DEATH OF MARGARET COONEY.

**Passed Away Wednesday Morning at the Home of Her Sister In Braddock,**

The many friends of the Cooney family in Bellefonte were exceedingly pained to hear of the illness and death of Miss Margaret Cooney, which sad event transpired at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Dillon at Braddock, Pa. The young lady had been suffering for about six months with a complication of diseases, death finally releasing her from her sufferings Wednesday, Feb. 7th.

Deceased was born in Bellefonte in January 1868 making her age 32 years at time of death. She was the daughter of Lawrence Cooney, a highly respected citizen of this place.

About eight years ago she went to Braddock and has since made her home in that place.

She leaves to mourn her loss besides her father, who resides here, the following brothers and sisters, namely, Michael, (present whereabouts unknown.)

Martin, of Bellefonte; Lawrence, of Braddock; Mrs. Thomas Brenner, of Pittsburg; Mrs. William Dillon, of Braddock and Mrs. Mary Fox, of Bellefonte.

The deceased was a sincere christian young lady and a member of St. John's Catholic church of this place. She had a large circle of friends and acquaintance who will sincerely mourn her sad demise. Her remains were brought to Bellefonte on the 1:42 train Thursday and taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary Fox on East Bishop street. The funeral took place Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the St. John's Catholic Church. Interment in the Catholic cemetery.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

### WRECK ON THE CENTRAL.

**Shifting Engine Ran Off the Track Near Zion—Engineer Had Leg Broken:**

Quite a serious accident occurred on the Central R. R. of Pennsylvania Thursday morning which delayed traffic for some time. The particulars are about as follows. There was an unusually heavy freight out of Bellefonte that morning and shifting engine No 2 in charge of engineer Joe Cushing and fireman Will Royer was sent down to help them over the summit. This was successfully accomplished and the shifter started on their return trip to town. When coming up the hill this side of Zion and opposite the farm of Benjamin Gentzel, the rails spread and the engine jumped the track landing in Gentzels field on its side. The engineer Joseph Cushing had one of his legs broken and the fireman Mr. Royer sustained a severe sprain.

Just behind the shifter was the morning passenger train and a man was sent back to flag it. The result was that the passenger train was delayed several hours until the track could be repaired. The heavy rain of Wednesday is said to have unsettled the road bed at this point causing the accident.


# You Can't Dodge Them

Did you ever try to dodge the rain-drops? Did not succeed very well, did you? It's just as useless to try to escape from the germs of consumption. You can't do it. They are about us on every hand and we are constantly taking them into our lungs.

Then why don't we all have this disease? Simply because these germs cannot gain a foothold in a strong throat and lungs. It's when these are weak that the germs master.

The body must be well supplied with fat. The danger comes when the blood is poor and the body is thin. If your cough does not yield, and your throat and lungs feel raw and sore, you should not delay another day. Take

# Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypophosphites at once. It will heal the inflamed membranes and greatly strengthen them as well. The digestion becomes stronger, the appetite better and the weight increases. The whole body becomes well fortified and the germs of consumption cannot gain a foothold.

It's this nourishing, sustaining and strengthening power of SCOTT'S EMULSION that has made it of such value in all wasting and exhausting diseases.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

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To CORRESPONDENTS.—No communication published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

WILBUR F. HARRIS.

## Local Department.

A British red ran down the copje,
He ran as though he couldn't stopje,
But on the veldt
He got a beldt,
And forthwith took adroptje.

—The bicycle will soon wake from its winter's sleep and be seen on our streets again in all its pristine glory.

—Pennsylvania has more national banks than any other state. The number is 436. New York has 327. Total in the United States, 3,602.

—All the healing balsamic virtues of the Norway pine are concentrated in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Nature's own remedy for coughs and colds.

—Samuel McGonigal, of Pottersdale, near Karthaus, died suddenly Thursday night at his home aged about 52 years. He leaves a wife and 5 children and a large circle of relatives.

—Energy all gone? Headache? Stomach out of order? Simply a case of torpid liver. Burdock Blood Bitters will make a new man or woman of you.

—In case of the Commonwealth vs. Operator Charles Robinson, for the killing of John O'Neil, at Spruce Creek, not long since, will be tried at the May term of court in Huntingdon County.

—There will be a service of unusual interest in the Lutheran church on Sunday evening in the interest of Foreign Mission. A special program has been prepared and will be rendered by the Sunday School.

—Hundreds of lives saved every year by having Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in the house just when it is needed. Cures croup, heals burns, cuts, wounds of every sort.

—As the season advances, Dame Fashion promises that shirt-waists both of silk and cotton in guimpe effects of all over lace or embroidery, with a lower part of tucked plain material, will have a wide vogue.

—Mrs. Herman Miller, of East High street, met with quite a serious accident on Sunday morning. She was just starting to church when she slipped on the pavement in front of her house and fell breaking her right wrist.

—A Social will be held in the lecture room of the Methodist church, this Thursday evening, Feb. 15th by the members of the Ladies Aid Society. Choice refreshments will be served. All are cordially invited to attend

—John Slagle, a resident of Clarion county, aged about 65 years, committed suicide by shooting his head off a few days ago. The family had left the house and when they returned his body was found in the wash house, with his head fearfully shattered and an empty shot gun at his side.

—An Arkansas editor in a fit of desperation dashed off the following: The wind bloweth, the water floweth, the farmer soweth, the subscriber oweth and the Lord knoweth that we are in need of our dues; so come a-run-nin' ere we go a-gunnin,' this thing of dunnin' gives us the blues.

—The usual W. C. T. U. Prayer meeting will be held in their rooms, this Thursday the 15th inst at 4 p. m. A special service will be held in commemoration of Frances Willard's heavenly birthday, and a silver thank offering given to her Memorial Fund. All the sisters who loved her, and are interested in the cause she so faithfully represented, and so dear to her heart, are cordially invited to be present.

The Republicans of Spring township made no mistake in their nomination of the party candidate for Overseer of the Poor. By his tireless energy, straight forward and capable service in this office during the past three years Snyder Tate has surely merited the confidence and approbation of the citizens of Spring township, and his candidacy should command the support of all citizens without regard to party.

—S. M. McMurtrie the candidate for Supervisor of Spring Township is a veteran of the civil war, being a member of the 49th Regiment Pa. Vol. He had an honorable record as a soldier. He served his country faithfully. As a recognition of his services he deserves the support of his fellow citizens, regardless of party. He is a good citizen and well qualified for the office. Voters of Spring Township, there should be no question as to your decision. See to it, that he is elected by a majority that will be a compliment to him and a credit to yourselves.

### Frozen Hand and Foot Amputated.

F. Howard Spangler, who has been at the Memorial hospital in Johnstown since last Thursday, having been badly frozen a week or so earlier, on Saturday submitted to an operation at the hands of Dr. C. E. Hannan. One hand and two fingers on the other hand and one foot were taken off, and it is believed that more of the remaining hand will have to go to avoid gangrene, which, in Mr. Spangler's weakened condition, would probably prove fatal.

### A RELIGIOUS CENSUS.

**A House to House Canvas Instituted by the Sunday Schools.**

All over the State the superintendents of our Sunday schools are instituting what is called a religious census, committees are appointed and each house is visited and the number who attend church are ascertained.

Realizing the great advancement in the Sunday School and church work as a result of this house to house visitation in a large number of cities and towns of this land, the Superintendents of the Sunday Schools in connection with the Pastors of the different denominations have decided to make a thorough canvass of this town and vicinity on Feb. 20 1900. Each Sunday School appointed visitors who with the Pastors and executive Committee met in the M. E. church Monday evening and assigned the visitors to the districts as reported by committee appointed previous. The following is a list of visitors from each school.

Presbyterian—Miss Potter, Miss Orbison, Miss Em. Hoy, Messrs Harris Heyiman, Francis Atwood, Wm. VanTries.

Methodist—Mrs. L. A. Shaeffer, Miss May Crider, Miss Helen Hastings, Miss Ella Johnson, Messrs George Miller, Samuel Roberts.

Reformed—Mrs. C. M. Bower, Mrs. R. S. Brouse, Mrs H. E. Jenkins, Miss Sarah Ott.

Lutheran—Miss Lulu Stover, Miss Ellen Gates, Mrs. W. P. Kuhn, *Mr. W. R.* Bush.

Episcopal—Miss Gertrude Taylor, Miss Ella Jones, Sallie Morgan, Mrs. F. P. Blair.

U. B.—Miss Ella Waite, Mrs, S. E. Harman, Miss Grace Barlet, Mrs. C. L. Rote.

Evangelical—Mamie Strunk, Minnie Markle.

Red School House—Thomas Toot, Ed. Kane.

These to go in pairs, each from different denominations, visiting every house in the district, inviting them. Also leave invitation cards to attend some Sunday School. Fill out card showing, who and how many attend school now, and those not attending to find their church preference, so that after the canvass is made, and these cards distributed to the Pastors and Sunday Schools, preferred in their cards, they can be followed up, with invitations, without denominational friction.

### HEAD CRUSHED.

**Body of a Lumberman Found on the Ice.**

The body of Wallace Mohan was found on the ice of Little Bailey Run, Potter county, Friday morning, with his head crushed in. Mohan is a log jobber, and, as a rule, carried considerable money about him, and as it was near pay day the theory is that he was waylaid and robbed.

He was known to have left a "pig's ear" at Blowville about 11 o'clock Thursday night, and some are inclined to the theory that he was followed, waylaid and robbed by denizens of that place. The spot where Mohan's body was found is about two miles from the point where William Ayres, a wealthy farmer was murdered a couple of years ago, and whose murder still remains a mystery. Mohan leaves a widow and three children at Austin.

### Where's That Blizzard.

The blizzard forecasters will have to guess again. The extremely frigid weather predicted Friday failed to materialize in this section. The cold wave which was in the western states Monday must have met an overpowering warmer opponent, or else it slid up the St. Lawrence valley; at any rate it didn't strike this portion of the state. The weather has been a little colder today, but it does not reach the proportions of a cold wave, let alone a blizzard. However, no one was anxious for a blizzard, so everybody is just as well satisfied that the forcasters were a "little off."

### The Strike at the Empire Furnace.

For several week past there has been labor dissension among the men at the Empire furnace. The trouble started with a request of some of the employees for higher wages and those who signed the appeal were promptly discharged—so it is said. Up to Thursday nineteen of them had received walking papers and new men installed in their places.

The shifter engineers, firemen, brakemen and cinder snappers are the classes affected. The engineers are working twelve hours for $1.75 and they thought it to low.

### UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte Post Office uncalled for February 12th 1900.

Samuel Cole, Harry Gingher, Fred F. Lutch, D. F. Miller, Lonrette Potts, Mrs. M. G. Swartz, L. M. Simfort, Mrs. Ida Van V. Dagur.

When called for please say advertised.

W. W. Montgomery P. M.

—It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

### CLERGYMEN DISCUSS.

**The Millennium and the Union of Different Denominations.**

The Sunday *Press* contained interviews with clergymen of different denominations all over the state in regard to the millennium and union of denominations.

Among those interviewed were Dr. Laurie and Dr. Stephens of this place

Dr. Laurie said: If by the "Biblical millennium" is meant that "Christ will reign in person on the throne of David, in Jerusalem for a thousand years, over a world of men in the flesh, eating and drinking, planting and building, marrying and giving in marriage"—it that is what is meant or if the notion is that Christ is to come and reign over the earth in any form for a thousand years prior to the last judgment, then "I think, the so-called 'Biblical millennium' is utter nonsense.

"Moreover, I hold such a notion to be not only not supported by the Scriptures, but contrary to the Scriptures.

"As to the notion of trying to unite all the denominations into one, that is not practical, nor would it be wise."

Rev. W. A. Stephens, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, said:—

"I do not believe that 'the Biblical millennium is at hand.' War, the rum traffic, political corruption, social impurity and the greed that makes men disregard the interests of others will not be here after the millennium arrives, the union of denominations into one,' or that it ever will be. That there are different denominations of Christians no more antagonizes the spirit of the Gospel than does the separation of men and women into families in the social life. Bigotry will go Persecution will go, and every evil thing, but denominations of Christians, differing in polity and plans of work are necessary to the healthy religious and social life of the community and the safety of the State."

Said Pastor M. K. Foster, of the Trinity M. E. Church of Lock Haven says.

"There is no such thing as a 'Biblical millennium.' Portions of the Word of God have been so interpreted by certain persons as to give color to the view that at some time the Savior would return to this earth, to reign over His saints or a thousand years, the saints, of cour se first to be raised from the dead. But the Church generally has never accepted the doctrine as clearly and distinctly taught in the Scriptures. It follows, then, that no such 'Biblical millennium' is it hand.

'It is also a gratuitous assumption 'that the time is ripe for the union of denominations into one,' either because the supposed 'Biblical millennium is at hand' or for any other reason."

### A SOLDIER BOY'S LETTER HOME.

**Edward Schofield Writes to His Parents from the Far Off Philippines.**

Mrs. James Schofield of South Thomas street has received an interesting letter from her son, Edward, who is now in the Philippines with the 16th Infantry. Private Schofield had the honor of acting as one of the body-guard at Gen. Lawton's funeral. Below we publish a few extracts from his letter.

Lalloc, P. I., Jan 1, 1900

Your kind and welcome letters received up to Nov 13, also two packages by mail and one by express and was very grateful for them as they reminded me of the Christmas at home. I am over 500 miles from Manila; cocoanuts, hard tack and corn beef was our Christmas dinner. I am enjoying the best of health at this writing. I expect to go in the Commissary department as clerk and if I do I will have a snap. Although everything is lovely here at this season of the year, yet, I wish I was home as I am tired of army life. We are having delightful weather. I was at Gen. Lawton's funeral and I tell you it was something fine. We were to go on a bike (campaign) with him next day and that afternoon the report came in that Gen. Lawton was shot and killed. I tell you what it raised a terrible commotion. I will have to close this letter now as we just received word to pack up and go on a three months bike and I don't know when I will get a chance to write to you again.

—Apropos of the coming of Franklin and Marshall College glee and mandolin clubs on Wednesday evening, February 21st, we publish the following extract from the *Martinsburg, West Virginia Evening World*:

The glee club of Franklin and Marshall College gave their concert in the Central opera house last night. One of the largest crowds that ever gathered in the hall greeted the boys. The boys gave the best concert that has ever been given in this city by a club of this character and the audience showed their appreciation by frequent and enthusiastic applause.

The club is exceptionally well trained and Mr. Guthrie, the leader, deserves great credit and shows conclusively by his arrangements and selections that he is a musician of ability. The club is well balanced and to particularize would be an injustice to any of the boys who are not mentioned.

Last May the glee club quartette gave a concert in this place that was so artistically delightful as to presage something far above the ordinary when the entire club appears.

GOVERNOR Leary, of Guam, wants a library. He should certainly have one. It is too bad to leave such an up-to-date community as he has created on that island with nothing more than a file of last year's yellow journals.

### PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Mr C. Brew was an Altoona visitor Tuesday night.

Miss Mary Morrison, of this place, spent Sunday in Unionville.

Miss Helen Hastings is visiting with friends in Harrisburg.

W. A. Simpson, of Lock Haven, is spending a few days in Bellefonte.

Hon. Leonard Rhone, of Centre Hall, transacted busines in town Tuesday.

Ex-Sheriff Robert Cook, of Howard, was a Bellefonte visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gephart are registered at the Hotel Stratford in Philadelphia.

Frank Kirtland, who clerks at W. L. Daggett's hotel, in Patton, spent Sunday in Bellefonte.

Dr, Edith Schaad will read an essay before the Centre County medical society next Tuesday.

Misses Sallie and Lena Baum arrived home Monday from a shopping trip to Philadelphia.

Col. James F. Weaver editor of the *Patron*, was a pleasant caller at our office, while intown Tuesday.

W. I. Fleming arrived home from Harrisburg Saturday morning to spend Sunday with his family in this place.

H. C. Baney and Harvey Benner, both of Atlantic City, attended the funeral of Henry Baney in this place last Saturday.

Mrs. Sallie Watkins and Miss Mame Miller, both of Millheim, were guests over Sunday at the hospitable home of Sheriff Cyrus Brungart.

Harry Gerberich departed Tuesday evening for Philadelphia to attend the general assembly of the League of American Wheelmen.

William A. Tobias, one of Millheim's representative citizens, did not fail to pay this office a visit while transacting business in town Monday.

Mrs. James Schofield, wife of Hon. James Schofield, returned on Friday evening from a pleasant visit with friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Blanche Hays and Miss Mary Blanchard left Thursday morning for Bryn Mawr where they will spend a week or ten days with friends.

Miss Nannie Schofield the accomplished daughter of Hon James Schofield left Saturday afternoon for an extended visit with friends in Altoona and Philadelphia.

Ambrose Sloteman, of Pleasant Gap, who has been appointed deputy recorder to succeed W. H. Dukeman, assumed the duties of his new position last Monday

Miss Mary Faxon returned home Monday afternoon from Philadelphia, where she has been employed since last August in the millinery department of Strawbridge & Clothiers large store.

Howard Moore, one of Howard's substantial and progressive merchants was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday, with Postmaster William Robb and John A. Daley, of Romola.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCoy departed Thursday morning for a weeks visit in Philadelphia. They were accompanied as far as Bryn Mawr by their daughter, Annie, who goes to resume her studies at the College in that place.

Samuel Rowe, of Cumberland City, Md., was an arrival in town Monday. He expects to remain here a week on business. Mr. Rowe and his father own a large furniture store in Cumberland and have a flourishing trade established.

Mr. John Reilly, one of the cutters at the Glass works received word Thursday of the serious illness of his daughter at Muncie, Ind. She is suffering from quick consumption and her recovery is very doubtful. Mr. Reilly left for her bedside at noon Thursday.

Harry Hartsock, of Pleasant Gap, entered the Pennsylvania freight office last Monday to fill the vacancy as clerk, caused by the resignation of Thad Longwell. Mr. Hartsock has been teaching the grammar school at Pleasant Gap but has resigned that position.

Dr. Geo. W. Atherton and Prof. J. Price Jackson, of State College, Supt. C. L. Gramley, of Rebersburg, D. F. Fortney, Esq., of Bellefonte, and Mr. C. T. Fryberger, of Philipsburg, will represent Centre County at the annual meeting of the Association of the Directors of Schools of Pennsylvania, to be held in Harrisburg Thursday of this week.

*Dr.* A. Wingrove Daniell, will in the course of a week or ten days, remove his family to Bellefonte, where he will engage in the practice of his profession. During Dr. Daniell's stay in Mill Hall he has made many warm friends who will regret to see him leave. His ability as a physician is unquestioned and we bespeak for him a good practice in his new field.—Mill Hall Times.

### Three Children Drowned.

Three children of Jos. Tema, a miner of Snow Shoe, were drowned Sunday in Sandy Creek. They ranged from 5 to 9 years of age. They left their home in the morning, and, as the mother thought they were visiting neighbors, she was not annoyed by their absence. As they did not return by evening, search was instituted. The hats of the boys were found along the banks of Sandy Creek. It is supposed that their sister fell into the water, and that in attempting to save her the boys also lost their lives. The bodies were recovered Sunday night.


# True Economy

**The difference of cost between a good and a poor baking powder would not amount for a family's supply to one dollar a year. The poor powder would cost many times this in doctors' bills.**

Royal Baking Powder may cost a little more per can, but it insures perfect, wholesome food. In fact, it is more economical in the end, because it goes further in leavening and never spoils the food.

Royal Baking Powder used always in making the biscuit and cake saves both health and money.

You cannot, if you value good health, afford to use cheap, low-grade, alum baking powders. They are apt to spoil the food; they do endanger the health. All physicians will tell you that alum in food is poisonous.

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## THE SPRING ELECTION

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trust, all parties and factions will receive honest and fair consideration at his hands.

A. B, Young as Inspector, is a good choice and is a candidates who is up against a sure thing. He will make a good official.

W. L. Steele, for Council, is an old citizen, a property holder and would be an ornament to the borough legislature and the Ward would honor itself by electing him.

Edward T. Tuten, for Justice of the Peace is mentioned above.

James I. McClure for School Director, belongs to a republican family, as old as the party, his father the late Harvey McClure, was one of the founders of the party and one of its earnest and loyal supporters, all his life. His son James is as loyal as his father and can always be depended upon to forward the interest of true republican principals.

In his Ward where he was born and where he has lived all his life, he is well known and we can tell the voters nothing about him, they do not know. We speak of his republicanism, because we know he does not care to sail under any false colors, he is the candidate of the Republicans of the South Ward, and he is a Republican pure and simple and does not deny it, nor care to. His election would give the School Board an efficient and capable member.

WEST WARD.

Judge of Election John M. Strayer, who has served the ward in this capacity before and whose fitness for the position is well known, is a candidate for-election and will be re-elected. He is all right.

David H. Bartley for Inspector is the right man in the right place.

John L. Knisely for Council is one of the most popular men in the Ward and will make a first class councilman. His election is certain.

Edward T. Tuten for Justice of the Peace is the candidate for the voters to vote for in this Ward. There is nothing the matter with Tuten, he is all right

W. H. Crissman is republican candidate for School Director in the Ward Mr. Crissman has served the borough before and has made a good record there is no fault or blemish in him and he will be elected.

Republicans of Bellefonte, rally to the support of the candidates of your party. Give them, one and all, your vote. There is not a Republican candidate on the borough and ward tickets who is not worthy of your assistance and entitled to your endorsement.

### County S. S. Convention.

The next annual county Sunday School Convention will be held in Centre Hall on Tuesday March 20. The Sunday Schools of the town having united in an hearty invitation. Rev. Charles Roads, D. D. our genial and efficient State Secretary and Mrs. J. W. Barnes Supt., of primary work, who in her field has few equals, will be present the entire day. Note the date. Pastors, Superintendents and workers will find it helpful. We would like to see each school represented with two delegates, pastor, superintendent, primary superintendent and as many others as possible.

For further information programmes &c, send name and address to the county president.

PASTOR A. Z. MYERS.
Philipsburg Pa.

### "SHE STOOPS TO CONQUER."

**College Boys Score a Success in Goldsmiths Pretty Comedy.**

"The Thespians" a dramatic organization of the Pennsylvania State College appeared in Garman's opera house Saturday evening in Goldsmith's sparkling comedy "She Stoops to Conquer." The pretty play house was filled with an audience composed of Bellefonte's most cultured people all of whom were highly pleased with the entertainment given them by the College boys.

The Thespians have played in Bellefonte before with success but their acting Saturday evening was even better than on former occasions. The short waits between the acts afforded the College Mandolin Club an opportunity to render some delightful music which certainly added much to the evening's enjoyment, they receiving a generous share of applause for their work.

"She Stoops to Conquer" is full of interesting situations which gave ample opportunity for the College boys to display their talents all of which they availed themselves of. We would like to mention each actor individually but space will not permit, but suffice it is to say that each and all acquitted themselves very creditably indeed. The acting of the leading characters was quite clever and they were heartily applauded for their work.

### FOR THE PUBLIC GOOD.

**The Information Contained in this Citizen's Statement is Invaluable to Bellefonte People.**

When a resident of Bellefonte whose statement appears below, who has no monetary or other interests in the article which he endorses, who is anxious to do his acquaintances and fellow residents a good turn, who publishes in this paper his experience with Doan's Kidney Pills—this citizen must have good and sufficient reason for doing so. The following should dispel any doubts which may have existed in the reader's mind on the subject:

Mr. William Valance, of 226 High street, Night Watchman, says:—"For 2 years or more, off and on, I had trouble with my back and pains in the upper part of my spine accompanied by a disagreeable feeling in my head and acute lameness right over my kidneys. At first I thought it was my liver but later found it arose from the kidneys not acting properly. I read of the many cures that had been made here at home by Doan's Kidney Pills and I got them at F. Potts Green's drug store. They stopped the annoyance from the kidneys and removed the lameness and aching in my back. They did me any amount of good and I do not hesitate to recommend them."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers, Price 50 cts. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

### Wedding at Mill Hall.

A quiet wedding was solmnized at Mill Hall Saturday evening. At 8 o'clock at the home of the bride, Albert Sperring, Bald Eagle township, Clinton County and Mrs. Martha Rountree, formerly of Bellefonte, were married by Rev. Mr. Lundy. The attendants were Miss Jennie Lundy of Mill Hall, and Charles Fickes of Lock Haven. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few invited guests. After the ceremony, supper was served to those present. Both the parties to the nuptial contract are highly esteemed and both have the well wishes of their many friends. They will reside on Mr. Sperring's farm in Bald Eagle township Clinton County